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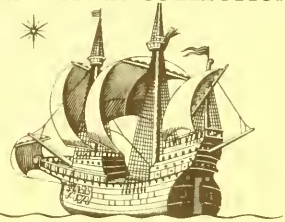

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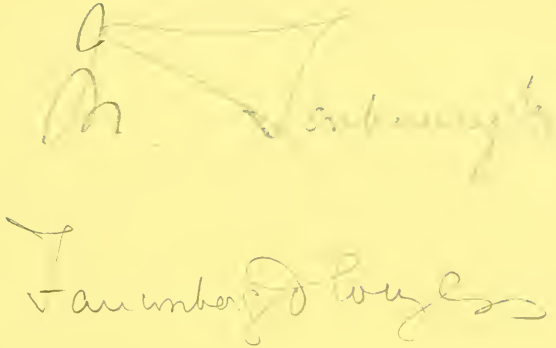

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INTRODUCTION.

INTRODUCTION.

"WHERE the documents of the reign of Henry VII.," says Mr. Brewer in the preface to his great monumental collection of papers connected with the succeeding reign, "are reckoned by tens, those of Henry VIII. may be "reckoned by hundreds;"[1] and although for this reason chiefly the series of "Memorials," of which the present volume forms the first, will fall far short in extent and interest of that of the latter reign, it will be found to contain a most valuable and minute mass of information, connected with an eminently important juncture in the political history of England. By Henry VII. the *sword* of government was sheathed, the remains of the feudal system at last completely swept away, the undue domination of the nobles set aside to make room for the growing influence of the mighty middle class, in which our modern civilization, with its faults and its merits, has established its stronghold.

There are few reigns in English history which have hitherto supplied the inquirer with such scanty materials as that with which the present and succeeding volumes of the series are concerned. With one exception, the authorities of any value are *foreigners*. The work of Polydore Vergil—of whose history Hall's Chronicle is little more than a literal translation—was probably written after a visit to England, and in a succeeding reign. Fabyan's Chronicle is not of great value, either for the amount or the accuracy of his information. It

[1] Letters and Papers, &c., Vol. i. p. xix.

seems then, that we are driven for materials among those already published connected with Henry's reign, to the two treatises which supply, as it were, a living likeness of the time and the man: — *Bernard André's* and *Bacon's Life of Henry VII.* For a full description of the former the reader is referred to the ably edited volume of Mr. Gairdner, in the series published under the Master of the Rolls. André was a native of Toulouse, and probably came to England with Henry, and witnessed his triumphant progress to London after his success on the "late victorious felde" of Bosworth. He was appointed poet laureate to the new king, and held a professorial position at Oxford. He had abundant opportunities for knowing and mixing in Court life, and although he seems to have been blind from a boy, he took ample advantage of them. He was appointed tutor to the young prince Arthur, and shared the royal patronage in many substantial instances, both civil and ecclesiastical.[1] His physical infirmity on the one hand, and his courtly affinities and predilections on the other, must have more or less unfitted him for giving to us the round unvarnished tale of the reign, and the unflattered portrait, with all its rugged lines, of the sagacious, patient, unchivalrous man, who, although he rewarded his panegyrists with, for him, prodigal liberality, estimated with mercantile keenness the worth which their eulogies would bear in *his own age,* which was to him his world.

Lord Bacon's Life, written as the leisure occupation of a banished statesman, far from books, and trusting only to his memory and knowledge of legal and political subtleties, cannot be expected to "educe a living like-

[1] He is also said to have been tutor to prince Henry, and to have suggested to that prince, after his accession to the throne, the composition of the treatise against Luther which obtained for him the title of Defender of the Faith. *Nic. Crusenius* in Monastico Augustiniano, p. 192.

" ness of the man and the time, to detect the true rela-
" tion of events, and to present them to the reader in
" their proper succession and proportions."[1] But of these points we propose to take notice from time to time on future occasions.

Here then we see the value of the documents contained in this volume and others which will follow. They are the *facts* of this reign's history. No sentiment or speculation can interfere with their intrinsic worth. They remain photographed, as it were, from the truthful and time-worn originals; and the future historian of this critical and momentous reign will find in these volumes a brief *practical* chronicle of a practical age, without the excitement of warfare or romance, under a king seeking for power by personal aggrandisement, and a people wearied and worn by turbulence and tyranny seeking to develop for themselves a peaceful civilization.

It is not proposed to attempt anything in this short introduction in the way of description of Henry's previous history, or the circumstances which led to his accession. These subjects will be considered more in detail at a future period of the series. But a few words referring to his position as conqueror and successful claimant to the crown, may not be out of place.

The shouts that rent the air when Stanley placed the battered crown upon his head after the bloody day at Bosworth, were not only the expressions of joy and triumph on the completion of a well-won victory; they were the words of consolation and hope which the nation dared now to utter after many years of civil distraction and strife, brought to an end by the death of the last of the Plantagenets, who if he lived an ambitious tyrant, died at least a brave and gallant soldier.

" So shaken as we are, so wan with care,
" Find we a time for frighted peace to pant,"[2]

[1] Spedding, p. 4.

[2] Shakesp. Hen. IV. Act i. sc. i.

describes the mental reaction which pervaded England at the sheathing of the sword on Bosworth Field.

After the battle Henry retired to Leicester, and the past overcome, the future must have stood out formidably before his eyes. He was there, as it were, a stranger upon a mined soil. He had brought over a small band of friends who had shared his adversity, and had long looked forward to this moment of triumph; not so much, as it appears, to satisfy their personal ambition, as to settle by the establishment of a new system the utter turbulence and national travail the throes of which they had been obliged to witness from abroad. In the king's chamber that night were, doubtless, assembled several such men as his uncle Jasper of Pembroke and Sir William Stanley who had been long expecting that hour of success, but who knew well the responsibilitywhich success would inevitably entail. In the day of adversity they had rejoiced in hope, but in this day of prosperity it behoved them to consider.

Henry's foot was firmly planted on the fallen crown of England, and he was persuading himself that he had a threefold right to raise it to his brow. But the days of the exercise of *might* had passed, and left behind them a heritage of sorrow. Now the more lasting power of *right* must be proclaimed, and to that he seems to have turned his mind.

The long continued dispute between York and Lancaster had been settled by single combat, so to speak, between Richmond and Richard on Bosworth Field; but to Henry's astute and practical mind it produced complications which the sword could not cut. The feud between "the two Houses" had become a *habit* of English minds, and Henry, if he were to sit easy on the throne, must remove it.

There lay in a remote castle of Yorkshire the two most formidable obstacles to the establishment of his right in the heart of a still important and independent section of the English people,—the Lady Elizabeth,

daughter of King Edward IV., and Edward Plantagenet, heir to George Duke of Clarence, that king's brother. His resolution with regard to them was taken before his breathing time after the battle was ended. On the first page of the "Materials" is printed the description, by Polydore Vergil, of Henry's setting out for London, having previously despatched Sir R. Willoughby to Sheriff-Hutton to take possession, *on Henry's own warrant*, of the persons of those two royal prisoners, to convey them to London before him, and to lodge the latter in the Tower, there to await the exigencies of his probable policy. "Which act of the king's," says Bacon, "proceeded upon a settled disposition to suppress all "eminent persons of the Line of York."[1]

This hatred of the rival House is the key to very much of his future action as king. He never seemed to be weary of branding the names of the Yorkists, and their supporters, with the gravest charges of rebelliousness and want of patriotism; and we shall see that the name of the late king is never mentioned by him without the favorite iteration of king "in dede, but not in "right." The state scriveners seem to have received a standing order to introduce this hateful formula into every paper connected with Richard's name, however insignificant. He knew, or at least suspected, that those who had summoned him over to England to supplant Richard had been less disaffected to that king's person than to his government, and that many forsook the Protector to oppose the King. For after all, Richard had many dazzling qualities to suit the age. He was a man of "large parts," as his biographer testifies. He

[1] He adds, with naïve forgetfulness of his persistent partizanship: "Wherein still the king, out of "strength of will or weakness of "judgment, did use to show a little "more of the party than of the "king."—Life of Hen. VII., p. 31. The references to and quotations from Bacon's Life will be taken from Mr. Spedding's edition of Bacon's works, Vol. vi.

was bold in conceiving, and reckless in facing the consequences of his acts; of high and brilliant courage, and seductive manners; and had it not been for the matter of the princes which stirred the heart of the nation, and engendered so many more or less insignificant risings, all culminating in the well-prepared *coup* of Buckingham, he might have reigned for several years admired, if not beloved, by many, although perhaps feared by all.

This impression on the mind of such a man as Henry must have been a constant galling of his spirit. Brave he doubtless was; for although he never courted war, he never refused a challenge. Politic he was to a marvellous extent; but his was a policy of prudence and moderation. He followed with patience the course of events instead of leading them. Reticent and secretive in manner and disposition, he was content to secure to his designs safety rather than glory. Sensitive and retired, he must have perceived that the "fiery Richard," but for his crimes, would have been a formidable rival to him in the memory of the nation.

At last he set out upon his way to London, whither he went by easy stages, probably in order that the fame of his reception, step by step on the way, might secure a like warm greeting from other than the vulgar. "Ingenti passim rura incolentium lætitia et congratu-" latione eum regem appellantium."[1] At a meeting of Common Council in the City of London, it was agreed that a reception on a grand scale should be offered him. The Mayor and Corporation, "præter ensiferum," attended by the representatives of no less than sixty-six city companies,[2] met him on the outskirts of the city,—Bacon says, at Shoreditch,[3]—clad in robes of scarlet, "bright, murrey, and tawney." A grant of

[1] P. 5.
[2] In all, 435 persons, pp. 4, 5.
[3] Spedding, p. 32.

1,000 marks was voted to him at once. He entered London upon a Saturday, the same day of the week as that on which he had obtained his victory;—"which "day of the week," says his biographer, "first upon an "observation, and after upon memory and fancy, he "accounted and chose as a day prosperous to him." From St. Paul's Church, whither he went, as became a pious and peaceable king, to offer up his standards and thanksgiving for victory, he went to apartments prepared for him in the Bishop of London's palace, where he took up his abode for awhile,—and here for the present we leave him.

Owing to the short and *comparatively* uninteresting nature of the documents printed in this volume, it has been deemed advisable to delay attempting a detailed account of the circumstances and events of this portion of the reign till the completion of the second or third volume of the "Memorials," by which time more fresh light will have been poured from contemporary sources, upon this hitherto semi-dark period of England's history. The chief value of the documents here presented will be found to lie in the introduction of names and places destined hereafter to play an important part in the history of the reign. Beyond this, however, there are papers connected with such subjects of interest as the attainder of former enemies; the reward of former friends of the new king; the state of ecclesiastical affairs; the cost and management of the royal household; the personal expenditure of the king and queen; the rigid and business-like economy practised by Henry from the first; the topography of the country; and many most valuable additions to the philology of this period of our language;—besides these (which will to the editor's mind be more interesting than all), the many apparently insignificant traits which unconsciously and in spite of his "parsimonious and almost puritanical reserve" (as Mr. Brewer so forcibly expresses it), unfold the private

character of the extraordinary and deeply politic man from whom the great and brilliant dynasty of Tudor sprang.

I owe acknowledgments of advice and assistance in the production of this volume to several friends, but more especially to Sir T. Duffus Hardy, whose kindness and most valuable experience are always placed so courteously at the service of those who require them.

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MATERIALS ILLUSTRATIVE OF THE REIGN OF HENRY VII.

1 Hen. VII. HENRICUS rerum potitus à primo sibi seditiones ex- A.D. 1485. August.
tinguendas statuit, qui priusquam Lecestria discederet, Robertum Wyllugby in agrum Eboracensem misit, qui duceret ad se Edouardum comitem Varvici, Georgii ducis Clarentiæ filium, decem et quinque annos natum, quem Ricardus in arce quam Schereshutton vocant, hactenus tenuerat. Enimvero Henricus non sine causa verebatur, ne per hunc puerum, ab hominibus audacissimis sibi aliquando noceretur, qui permultis ab ineunte ætate pressus malis, nihil potius optabat, quam in pace esse. Robertus ad arcem profectus, Edouardum à præfecto sibi traditum Londinum deduxit, ubi misellus puer ad calamitatem natus, in custodiam protinus conjicitur. Erat in eadem arce Elisabeth virgo, Edouardi filia ætate major, quam Ricardus ad connubium sibi servabat, quemadmodum supra demonstravi, verum tantum aberat, ut puella ad id consentiret, ut etiam maximopere detestaretur, perhorresceretque. Quid, quod omnis populus eam longe importunissimam libidinem non modo Ricardo, sed ejus domestico senatui summo crimini verterat quod tam nefarium hominis consilium corroborasset? Proinde Deus castam virginis mentem juvit, ab eoque flagitio defendit, quæ paulo post multis cum viris tum matronis comitata, Londinum ad matrem revertit. Interea Henricus iter Londinum versus facere cœpit, ingenti passim rura incolentium læ-

1485. titia et congratulatione eum regem appellantium, sed ubi 1 Hen. VII. appropinquavit urbi; Thomas Hylle prætor, ac Thomas Bretayn, Ricardusque Chester vice comites, et cum his totus senatus atque omnis civitas in eum summe officiosa obviam effusa est, non modo universi salutabant verumetiam pro se quisque victrices venientium dexteras quæ tyrannum occidissent, contingere cupiens altus gratulabatur, alius gratias agebat, quod eorum opera incolumis esset respublica, sublatis malorum autoribus Igitur gaudium generatim celebratum ac Deo aliquot dierum supplicationibus ad omnia divorum templa, passim honor habitus est. Cæterum amici speciatim lætitia exultabant, quod animo cernerent factionem adversariam exterminatum iri. Pol. Verg. p. 717.

31 Aug. Commune concilium tentum die Mercurii tricesimo primo die Augusti anno regni regis Henrici Septimi primo.

In isto communi concilio concordatum est quod in adventu domini regis Henrici Septimi ad istam civitatem certæ personæ de qualibet misteria secundum numerum subscriptum equitent versus eundem dominum regem in togis de bright' murrey, videlicet—

Grocers	xxx.	Cutlers	vj.
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Salters	x.	Girdlers	iiij.
Vynters	viij.	Bochers	x.
Irmongers	x	Bakers	vi.
Scriveners . . .	iiij.	Brewers	x.
Diers	x.	Lethersellers . . .	x.
Peauterers . . .	vj.	Hurers	iij.

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Joynours	ij.	Glasiers	j.	
Masons	ij.	Tilers	iij.	
Carpenters	ij.	Lynnendrapers	ij.	
Fletchers	ij.	Felmongers	ij.	
Bowiers	iij.	Fruterers	j.	
Inholders	iiij.	Hatters	ij.	
Wolmen	vi.	Powchemakers	ij.	
Plommers	ij.	Greytawiers	ij.	
Stacioners	ij.	Brasiers	j.	
Foundours	iij.	Wevers	ij.	
Payntours	ij.	Blaksmythes	j.	
Staynours	ij.	Bladesmythes	j.	
Wodemongers	ij.	Sporiours	j.	
Turnours	ij.	Lorymers	j.	
Curreours	iiij.	Purcers	j.	
Pulters	ij.	Glovers	ij.	
Paistelers	ij.			

Summa ccccxxxv. persones.

Item concordatum est in eodem communi concilio quod fiant vigiliæ in eodem adventu hominum armatorum in maximo numero quo fieri possunt.

Item concordatum est per majorem et aldermannos quod dicti major et aldermanni equitent in togis de scarleto, et quod dictus major habeat quinque servientes secum præter ensiferum, et quod vicecomites habeant viginti servientes, et quod omnes dicti servientes sint induti togis de tawny.

Item concordatum est quod quilibet aldermannus qui antea fuit major habeat tres famulos, et quod quilibet aldermannus qui antea non fuit major habeat duos famulos, et quod iidem famuli sint induti togis de tawny medley ad custus dictorum aldermannorum et nullo modo ad custus cameræ, etc.

1485. Willielmus Stokker miles. Hugo Brice. Ricardus Chawry. Willielmus Martyn. } Aldermanni assignati ad ordinandum homines armatos in adventu domini regis Henrici Septimi ad istam civitatem, etc. 1 Hen. VII.

Item in isto communi concilio concessæ sunt domino regi mille marcæ per viam doni levandæ per formam quintædecimæ, &c. Journ. Civit. London. ix. 84.

6 Sept.[1] Grant to William Grene of the offices of bailiff of Wyldgolet, during pleasure, and keeper of the park there for life, co. Essex. Orig. m. 96.

10 Sept.[2] Grant, for life, to John Cheverell, esq., of the offices of steward of the manors or lordships of Rammesham, Childefrome, Wraxhall, Maperton, Puntenoll, Kencounte, Toller, and Hasilbere, co. Dorset, and of the custody of the park of Rammesham. S. B. No. 1.

15 Sept. Parliament summoned to meet at Westminster on the 7th November next, for the discussion of divers urgent and important matters touching the state and defence of the kingdom and the Church of England. Cl. No. 105.

16 Sept. Grant, in tail male, to Edward Wideville, knt., of the Isle of Wight, the castle and lordship of Caresbroke, alias Carsbroke, alias Carysbroke, alias Carisbroke, within the said island, and the advowson of the church of Freisshewatere in the said island, with all possessions belonging to the Crown in the said island. Various privileges granted with the said island, &c., viz. wreck of sea, &c. P. S. 16 Sept.[3] No. 1, and Pat. p. 4. m. 21 (4).

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[1] This grant seems to have been renewed on the 26th and 27th of September. See under those dates.

[2] See also 25 Sept.

[3] The date in the margin is that of the delivery of the P. S., S. B., or W. to the Lord Chancellor for execution, and is always the date of the enrolment pursuant to Stat. 18 Hen. VI. The date given at the end of the notice is that of the P. S., S. B., or W. See this fully explained in the Preface.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Edward Wideville, knt., of the office of keeper of the castle and town of Porchestre and forest and warren there; also of the survey and government of the town of Portesmouth and the king's place there, with power to appoint a porter, a soldier (artillarium), and a watchman in the said castle; with wages of 12*d.* a day for the said custody, 3*d.* a day for the porter, and 1½*d.* for a boy under him, 6*d.* a day for the soldier, and 3*d.* a day for the watchman, out of the issues of the said castle forest and warren and the fee-farm of Portesmouth, and if these prove insufficient from the issues of the county of Hants; in the same way as John, late earl of Salop, held the same. P. S. No. 2. Pat. p. 4. m. 13 (12). 1485. 16 Sept.

Grant to John Frye, one of the yeomen of the king's guard, of the office of searcher of the port of Bristowe, which one Nicholas Spycer lately had and occupied. S. B. No. 2. 16 Sept.

Grant, in tail male, to William Stanley, knt., the king's chamberlain, of the manor of Hundesdon, alias Hunnesdon, alias Hundeston, co. Hertford, in the fullest manner, with all issues, profits, &c. belonging to same from Easter last, rendering yearly a red rose for all service, &c. P. S. No. 3. 17 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Fuller, of the office of collector of the subsidy and ulnage of saleable cloths, and a subsidy of 3*s.* on the ton and 12*d.* in the pound in the port of London and in all other ports adjoining the same. 17 Sept.

Another appointment of Thomas Litley as collector of the tonnage. Orig. m. 4.

Grant, for life, to William Barkeley, knt., of Bernerston, of the offices of master and operator of the king's monies, and of keeper of the king's exchange within the Tower of London, the kingdom of England, and the town of Calais, according to indentures to be made between him and the king. P. S. No. 4. 17 Sept.

1485. 17 Sept. Grant to Nicholas Gaynesford of the custody of the manor, lordship, and hundred of Odyam, co. Southampton, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 51*l.*, with an improved rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 25. 1 Hen. VII.

17 Sept. Grant to Nicholas Gaynesford and William Merston of the custody of the manors or lordships of Banstede and Walton, co. Surrey, with the park and warren there, and with all the lands and tenements in Charlewode, co. Surrey, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 40*l.* (as paid to Edw. IV.), and an improved rent of 4*l.* Orig. m. 25.

18 Sept. General pardon to Richard Hastynges, knt., late of London, knt., alias late of Hellowe, co. Linc., knt., for all offences committed by him before the date hereof. Del. 17 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10).

18 Sept. Grant to Thomas Stokes, of London, gentleman, of the custody of premises in the parish of Thorneham, co. Kent (in the hands of the Crown since 24 June 29 Hen. VI., owing to the proprietor, Henry Bedell, late of Thorneham, husbandman, having been hanged on that day, after trial for high treason before John Prisot and his fellows, and the same possessions seized by William Swan, escheator to the county), for 12 years, at a yearly rent of 7*s.* 2*d.*, and an improved rent of 2*d.* Orig. m. 24.

18 Sept. Grant, for life, to Henry Harman, of the offices of coroner and attorney of the King's Bench. P. S. 13 Sept. No. 5. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

18 Sept. Grant, during pleasure,[1] to William Brown, yeoman of the king's guard (in consideration of the good service that oure humble and feitheful subgiet William Browne, yoman of oure garde, hath heretofore doon unto us, as wele beyond the see as at oure victorieux journeye), of the office of bailiff of Brailles, co. Warwick. S. B. No. 3. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

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[1] See also 2 October.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Hugh Hurleton, of the office of overseer and surveyor of works and reparations in the king's castles, lordships, and manors, cos. Chester and Flint. S. B. No. 4. 1485. 18 Sept.

Mandate to the bishop of Exeter, keeper of the privy seal, to command the chamberlain of Chester to make letters under the seal of the county palatine of Chester to the auditors there, charging them to allow John Norys and Hugh Hurleton, sheriffs of the city of Chester, a sum of 15*l.* upon their accompt. The mandate is issued upon the following recital :— 18 Sept.

By the king.

Reverend fader in God, right trusty and welbeloved, we grete you wele. And for asmoche as we undrestande that there restethe due unto us of John Norys and Hughe Hurletone, shirrifes of oure citie of Chestre, XV. li. by reason of oure fee ferme there by theim payable unto us, we, considering the good and feithfulle service that the said shirifes and othre of oure said citie have doon unto us in this oure victorious journey for the repressing of oure great ennemye the late duke of Gloucestre, and his adherentes, have utterly pardonned, remitted, and relessed unto theim the said somme of XV. li., soo that they shal be therof quyte ayeinst us and oure heire for ever.

Grant to Richard Cholmondeley, the younger, esq., of the custody of all the possessions lately belonging to John Eggerton of Eggerton, esq., deceased, who held of the king in capite, as earl of Chester, together with the reversion of all those manors, lands, &c. which Margery, late wife of Philip Eggerton, father of the said John, or Elizabeth, late wife of the said John, severally held in dower or otherwise, for term of life, of the inheritance of Philip Eggerton, son of the said John, in the county of Chester, in the hands of the Crown through the minority of the said Philip Eggerton, son and heir of the said John ; also the wardship and 18 Sept.

1485. marriage of the said heir; to hold the said custody during such minority, and as long as the same possessions shall be in the hands of the Crown, taking all the issues, &c. of the said premises without accompt. 1 Hen. VII.

19 Sept. Grant, for life, to Christopher Savage, son of Sir John Savage, knt. (in consideration of true and faithful service done "as well for the repressing of oure rebelles "and traitours as otherwise"), of the offices of steward and master of the game of the forest of Fekneham, and of parker of the same forest, co. Worc., and of all offices within the said forest in the king's gift. No delivery, but enrolled under date 19 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12).

19 Sept. Grant, for life, to James Savage, son of Sir John Savage, the elder, knt. (in consideration of true and faithful service doon unto us in our late victorious journey and feld), of the office of keeper of the park of Beskewode, co. Notts. P. S. 15 Sept. No. 6. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12).

19 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Savage, the younger, knt., of the offices of steward and bailiff of the lordships and manors of Hanley, Upton, and Ridmarley, of parker of the parks of Hanley, Blakemore, Ridmarley, and Bussheley, and of master of the game in the chace of Malvern, co. Glouc., with all other offices in the said lordships and manors in the gift of the Crown. P. S. 14 Sept. No. 7. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12).

19 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir John Savage, the younger, knt., of the offices of steward and bailiff of the lordships of Scaresdale and Chestrefeld. P. S. 12 Sept. No. 8. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12).

19 Sept. Grant, for life, to Edward Savage, son of Sir John Savage, the elder, of the offices of bailiff and parker of the lordships of Hatfeld and Thorne. P. S. 12 Sept. No. 9. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12).

19 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to William Kyrkeby, esq., of the offices of steward and master forester of Nether-

1 Hen. VII. dale, co. York, and of bailiff of Kyrkby Mallesherd, co. York, which offices one John Merkenfeld lately had and occupied. S. B. No. 5. 1485.

Grant, for life, to Richard Hammerton, of the office of keeper of the manor and park of Dartington, co. Devon. S. B. No. 6. 19 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Rothercomme, one of the king's guard (for true and faithful service as well beyond the sea as on this side), of the office of keeper of the park of Mershwodevile, co. Dorset. S. B. No. 7. 19 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Moton, esq., of the offices of steward of the lordship of Burgevenny in South Wales, and of constable and porter of the castle there. S. B. No. 8. 19 Sept.

Grant to Sir Humphrey Stanley, knt., of the office of steward of all the possessions late belonging to Henry, duke of Buckingham, in the county of Stafford, during the minority of the son and heir of the same duke, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. S. B. No. 9. 19 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Richard Nanfan, of the office of keeper of the place called the Erbere, within the city of London. S. B. No. 10. 19 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Richard Haughton, of the office of constable of the castle of Brigenorth, co. Salop; "whiche oon William Clerc, of Wenlok, late had of the "yift and graunte of Richard, late duc of Gloucestre," with wages, &c. out of the fee-farm of the town of Briges, &c. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22). 19 Sept.

Restitution of the temporalities in Herefordshire, and the marches of Wales to Hugh on his election to the bishopric of St. David's. 19 Sept.

Similar writ to the mayor and escheator of London.

Ditto to the knights and freemen of the same bishopric. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 (24).

Grant, for life, to John Rodon, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* 19 Sept.

1485. a day out of the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, and a livery yearly from the great wardrobe, &c. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 10. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22). 1 Hen. VII.

19 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Blake, gentleman, of the offices of bailiff of Saham and keeper of the park of Saham, co. Norfolk. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 11.

19 Sept. Grant, for life, to Gilbert Bacheler, of the office of one of the clerks of the Crown in the Court of Chancery. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

19 Sept. Grant, in survivorship, to Richard Ive and Gilbert Bacheler, of the office of clerk of the Crown of the Court of Chancery, with wages of 20*l.* a year from the 24th August last. S. B. No. 12.

19 Sept. Grant to Edward More, of the custody of certain closes called Warmorton, Betterhesketh, Warreshesketh, Wollexkys, Nonneclose, Coltclose, Heyclose, and Blaburghtwayte, in the forest of Inglewode, co. Southampton, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 15*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and an improved rent of 13*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 20.

19 Sept. Grant to Thomas Grey, knt., of the custody of the manor of Neweport and the hamlet of Birchangere, co. Essex, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 24*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, with an improved rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 20.

19 Sept. Grant to Robert Skelton, esq., of the custody of premises in Mortonskewe, within the forest of Inglewode, called Appultrethwayte, co. Southampton, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 10*s.*, and an improved rent of 12*d.* Orig. m. 20.

20 Sept. Special livery and licence of entry, without proof of age, to William Courtenay, knt., son and heir of William Courtenay, knt., deceased. P. S. 15 Sept. No. 11. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12).

20 Sept. John Catesby, knt., to be one of the Justices of the Common Pleas. S. B. No. 13. Pat. p. 1. m. 5 (31).

20 Sept. (1.) Congé d'élire to the prioress and convent of the house and church of St. Editha of Wilton, Sarum dioc., to elect an abbess in the place of Alicia Comaland, deceased. 14 Sept. P. S. No. 12.

1 Hen.VII. (2.) 3 Sept. Petition from the above prioress and convent for a congé d'élire. P. S. No. 13. 1485.

(1.) Congé d'élire to the prior and convent of the monastery of St. Mary de Pratis, Leicester, to elect an abbot in the room of John Shepished, deceased. P. S. 14 Sept. No. 14. 20 Sept.

(2.) 23 Aug. Petition from Gilbert Manchestur, prior, and the convent of the above monastery, for a congé d'élire. They send William Stoughton and John Peny to the king in their behalf. P. S. No. 15.

William Huse, knt., appointed (by a signed bill) to be chief justice of the King's Bench. The appointment is in the following words:—"Rex, etc., dilecto et fideli "suo Willielmo Huse militi, salutem. Quia volumus "quod vos sitis capitalis justiciarius noster ad placita "coram nobis tenenda. Vobis mandamus quod officio "illo intendatis. Teste me ipso, etc." 20 Sept.

Grant to William Huse, knt., chief justice of the King's Bench, of 40 marks yearly, and a tun of wine, so long as he shall hold such office. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15). 20 Sept.

Grant to John Menwaryng, chaplain, of the custody of the hospital of St. John the Baptist at Stafford, void by the death of Richard Colwiche, clk. P. S. No. 16. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 20 Sept.

Thomas Bryan, knt., to be chief justice of the Common Pleas. S. B. No. 14. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 20 Sept.

Humphry Starkey, knt., to be one of the justices of the Common Pleas. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12). 20 Sept.

Humphrey Starkey, knt., to be chief baron of the Exchequer. S. B. No. 15. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12). 20 Sept.

Grant for life to Piers Eggerton, gentleman, of the offices of the amoborships in the counties of Caernarvon and Anglesey, North Wales, with the raglorship of thadvowres of the said counties. S. B. No. 16. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Moris Lloyd (for service in our late tryumphe and . . . . . .) of Walker of Wydegada and Elv . . . . . commotes. S. B. No. 17. 20 Sept.

1485. 20 Sept. Grant to Hugh Pavy, clk., of the custody of the temporalities of the bishoprick of St. David's, with the knights' fees, advowsons of churches, prebends, chapels, chantries, and all ecclesiastical benefices whatsoever, in the hands of the Crown by the translation of Thomas, late bishop there, and now bishop of Salisbury ; to hold as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. S. B. No. 18. Pat. p. 4. m. 21 (4). 1 Hen. VII.

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to Robert Wallshe, one of the yeomen of the guard, of the office of constable of the castle of Tremeton, with the comptrollership of the havener of the duchy of Cornwall. S. B. No. 19. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26).

20 Sept. Grant to William Huse, knt., chief justice of the King's Bench, of 180 marks yearly to support his estate, payable by the clerk of the hanaper and custumers in the ports of London, Bristol, and Kyngeston upon Hull; also 106*s.* 11$d\frac{1}{4}$. and the sixth part of one half-penny, yearly, for a robe at Christmas, and 66*s.* 6*d.* yearly for a robe, &c. at Pentecost. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

20 Sept. John Sulyard, to be one of the justices of the King's Bench. S. B. No. 20. Pat. 1. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

20 Sept. Roger Towneshend, to be one of the justices of the Common Pleas. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Kendale (for service, as well within the realm as in foreign parts), of the offices of constable of Colchester Castle, of keeper of the same castle and the royal desmesnes there, viz., 180 acres of land, 27 acres of meadow, and 30*s.* worth of rent, and of the hundred of Tendering, and two parts of a water-mill, co. Essex. P. S. No. 17.

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Stanchawe (in consideration of true and faithfull service done unto us, as well beyond the sea as on this side, in our victorious journey), of the offices of keeper of the manor of Crokham and bailiff and keeper of both parks there, co. Berks. S. B. No. 21.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to John Fortescue, knt., of the office of chief butler of England, with wages, &c. out of the issues of his office. P. S. [13 Sept.] No. 18. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11). 1485. 20 Sept.

Appointment of John Davyson, clk., as dean of the king's royal free chapel of St. George within Windsor Castle. P. S. [13 Sept.] No. 19. 20 Sept.

Grant to Thomas Maudesley, clk., of the custody of the hospital of St. Mary of Bethelem without Bisshoppesgate. P. S. [13 Sept.] No. 20. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 20 Sept.

Grant to Philipe ap Reez ap Thomas Vaghan of the commote of Mabanyon, co. Cardigan, gentleman, of the offices of steward and "raklough" of the commote of Mabwynyon, for life, and bailiff errant of Isearon, co. Cardigan, during pleasure. S. B. No. 22. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Mountford, of the offices of steward of the place and manor of Cheylesmore within the shires of Coventre and Warwik, and keeper of the park there. S. B. No. 23. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Piers Lloid, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, and of the king's guard of the corrody in the monastery of St. Augustyn within the city of Canterbury. S. B. No. 24. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Piers Skydmore, of the office of keeper of the wood called Haywood, beside the city of Hereford. S. B. No. 25. 20 Sept.

Grant to Robert Lye of the office of keeper of the park of Notingham, with wages, &c. out of the issues of the mills of the castle of Notingham. S. B. No. 26. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Gybbys, of the office of packer of the stillyard within the city of London. S. B. No. 27. 20 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Nele, serjeant of the King's "caterye," of the office of weigher of wools within the city of London. S. B. No. 28. 20 Sept.

1485. 20 Sept. The sum of 10*l.* a year out of the customs and subsidies in the port of the town of Southampton granted for life to Thomas Chew, clk., appointed for the service of the king in the chapel of St. George within the Tower, at the town of Southampton, to perform Divine service for the healthful estate of the king and his most dear mother during life, and for their souls when they shall have departed this life, and for the souls of their noble progenitors. S. B. No. 29. 1 Hen. VII.

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to Hugh de Hurleton, of the office of doorward or keeper of the outer gate of Chester Castle. S. B. No. 30.

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to Ralph Coldale, of the keepership of the park of Langley Marreys. P. S. No. 21.

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Hody, of the office of attorney general of all courts of record in England and Wales, with the wages, fees, &c. to such office pertaining. Power to appoint such clerks and officers under him as have been heretofore appointed by previous holders of the same office. P. S. 11 Sept. No. 22. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21).

20 Sept. Mandate, reciting that a truce has been concluded for one year between the king of England and Charles, king of France, to commence from the 1st of October next, and to end on the last day of September following, and directing its observance in all particulars by all the king's officers, subjects, &c.

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Smyth, of the office of keeper or clerk of the hanaper of the Chancery, with such wages, fees, &c. out of the issues of the hanaper as John Elryngton, knt., had with the same office. Further grant, for life, of an annuity of 40*l.* out of the issues, &c. of the hanaper. Further grant to the said Smyth (in consideration of the great expense he will be put to in attending upon and riding with the lord chancellor or keeper of the great seal in his official capacity) of 18*d.* a day for every day so employed.

1 Hen. VII. Clause empowering the lord chancellor to issue such writs and warrants (setting out the number of days employed as above described, sworn to by the said William) to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer, as may be necessary to obtain allowance upon Smyth's accompts of the monies above granted; power also to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to make such allowance upon Smyth's accompts. P. S. 11 Sept. No. 23. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 (8). 1485.

Grant, for life, to William [W . . .]tesley, of the office of keeper of the park of Rasgyll, co. York. P. S. No. 24. 20 Sept.

Grant, in survivorship, to William Lee and John Randolff, of the offices of one of the ushers of the receipt of the Exchequer, and keeper of the council chamber at Westminster, with all wages, fees, &c. which belonged to such offices in 51 Edw. III. and 1 Ric. II. P. S. No. 25. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Robert Marleton, of the office of black rod, with all wages, fees, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the manor of Colde Kenyngton, co. Midd., and elsewhere. P. S. No. 26. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21). 20 Sept.

Grant to Thomas Woodshawe of the offices of Bailiff of the lordship of Berkeswell, co. Warwick, during pleasure, and keeper of the park there for life. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 27. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8). 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Robert Horne, esq., of the offices of keeper of the park of Cornebury, co. Oxford, and keeper of the woods called Knyghton woods, co. Oxford. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 28. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Walter Courteney, knt., of the offices of rider or master forester of the forest or chace of Dertmore, co. Devon (with power to appoint foresters and officers for whom he shall be answerable), of steward of the borough and manor of Bradnyche and of all other manors, lands, and tenements, co. Devon, in the 20 Sept.

1485. hands of the Crown, which have been parcel of the duchy of Cornwall or are of the same duchy, and of warden of the Stannaries, co. Devon. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 29. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22). 1 Hen. VII.

20 Sept. Commission to William Godull, Robert Boof, John Hatter, John Wodles, master of the ship the "Mighell" of Harwyche; John Styward, purser thereof; William Archer, master of the ship the "Elizabeth" of Harwich, and John Boll, purser thereof; and the bailiffs of the town of Great Yarmouth, to superintend the keepers, conductors, and wafters appointed for the protection of the fishermen and their ships on the coasts of Norfolk and Suffolk; also to levy contributions for the expenses of the said wafters from all such fishermen, notwithstanding that any of them may be the bearer of a safe-conduct from a foreign prince. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 d (8 d).

20 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to John Luthington of the office of auditor of all possessions belonging to the duchy of York and earldom of March, in England, and the marches of Wales, with all such wages, fees, &c. as William Roucliff and the said John lately had as auditors thereof; also auditor of the honor and earldom of Richmond, with all wages, fees, &c., such as he lately had as auditor thereof; also receiver of all the possessions called Warrewike landes, Spencer land, and Salisbury landes, cos. Warwick, Worcester, Stafford, Northampton, Rutland, Gloucester, Oxford, Berks, Bucks, Hertford, Cambridge, and Essex, with all wages, fees, &c., such as he lately had as receiver thereof. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 30. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17).

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Eggecombbe, knt., of the offices of escheator and feodary of the duchy of Cornwall, and of constable of the castle of Launceneton alias Dunheved, co. Cornwall. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 31. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10).

1 Hen. VII. Appointment, during pleasure, of Guy Fairfax, knt., to be one of the justices of the King's Bench. 1485. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Richard Eggecombe, knt., of the office of one of the chamberlains of the receipt of the Exchequer, or of one of the chamberlains of the Exchequer [1][viz., that office which William Catesby lately had by grant from King Edward IV.], together with the appointment and ordering of one of the ushers of the Exchequer, when a vacancy shall happen, and all appointments, wages, &c. pertaining to such office. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 32. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Parker of the office of keeper of the park of Keyrbullok, in the duchy of Cornwall; with all wages, fees, &c. pertaining to such office in 51 Edward III. and 1 Richard II. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 33. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Master James Stanley, of the deanery of the king's royal free chapel of St. Martin the Great, London, with everything pertaining thereto. P. S. 17 Sept. No. 34. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Crofte (in consideracioun of good and true service doone unto us, as well in oure last victorious feld as othrewise), of the office of ranger of Whichwode, co. Oxford. P. S. 17 Sept. No. 35. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 20 Sept.

Request to the abbot and convent of Gloucester to admit Robert Marleton into their house and grant him the same corrody or support which John Farley, deceased, lately enjoyed there. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Fortescue, knt., of the office of lieutenant of the tower of Ruysbank in the parts of Picardy, with power to appoint officers and soldiers under him for the safe-keeping of the said tower, and with all wages, fees, &c. (by the hands of the treasurer of Calais) as William Hastinges, knt., late captain of the said tower, enjoyed. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 36. 20 Sept.

[1] The words within brackets are underscored as though for omission.

1485. 20 Sept. Grant to Richard Sheldon and John Clerk, jointly and severally, of the office of auditors of the possessions in the counties of Warwick, Worc., Stafford, Salop, Oxford, Berks, Glouc., Hertford, Northampton, Rutland, Essex, Hereford, Kent, Devon, Southampton, Wilts, Somerset, and Dorset, and also the Isle of Wight, lately belonging to George, late duke of Clarence, deceased, in the hands of the Crown through the death of the said duke and the minority of Edward, his son and heir; to hold during such minority and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with all such emoluments as Henry Harper or John Toke heretofore enjoyed. P. S. 17 Sept. No. 37. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12). 1 Hen. VII.

20 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Porpoynt of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Dodentre, co. Worc. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 38.

20 Sept. Grant, in survivorship, to William Stok, knt., and Richard Burton, esq., of the custody of all assarts, wastes, purprestures, &c. within the forest between the bridges of Staunford and Oxford, and also of all farms and rents of such assarts, &c., &c. in the same forest in cos. Northampton, Bucks., and Hunts., for 24 years, at a yearly rent of 52*l.*, and a yearly improved rent of 20*s.* Orig. m. 23.

20 Sept. Grant to John Hayes of the offices of receiver of all the lordships, manors, lands, and tenements in Cornwall, Devon, Somerset, Dorset, Wilts., and Hants., called Salesburys landes and Spensers landes, with wages, &c. of 20 marks per annum out of same and of keeper of the woods of Bentley and Melchette, in Wilts., with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the lordships of Ambresbury and Wynterbourne, all of which are in the hands of the Crown owing to the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, late wife of George, late duke of Clarence; to hold during such minority and as long as the same are in the hands of the Crown. P. S. 10 Sept. No. 39. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22).

1 Hen. VII. Another P. S. similar to the above, bearing the same date, was delivered 30 Nov. and is enrolled. Pat. p. 2. m. 20 (6). 1485.

Grant to Antony Crakenthorpe of the custody of the parcels of demesne land and pasture near Karlile, late in the tenure of Roger Bethome, also the closes of Itenfeld, Berrokfeld, together with Brungyll, within the forest of Ingelwode, co. Cumb., for seven years, at a yearly rent of 9*l.* 16*s.*, and a yearly improved rent of 2*s.* Orig. m. 12. 20 Sept.

Grant to William Stok, knt., of the custody of the possessions late belonging to John Moygne in Warmyngton, co. Northampton (forfeited to the Crown), for 30 years, at a yearly rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 23. 20 Sept.

Grant to Hugh Bessewyk and Thomas Danton of the custody of the fishery of Brachemere, within the lordship of Hartefeld and Thorne, co. York, with the profits of the swans and cygnets there and all other advantages pertaining to the same fishery, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 12*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* Orig. m. 23. 20 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Ralph Coldale, of the office of chafewax in the Chancery of England. S. B. No. 31. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8). 21 Sept.

Grant to John Harpur, of the office of steward of the lordships or manors of Patyngeham, Sutton, and Yerveton, cos. Stafford and Warwick, so long as the same shall remain in the King's hands. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23). Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10). 21 Sept.

Grant to (Sir) Howel ap Day [of the chapel] of Saint Wenefride in Holywell, co. Flint, and appointment as chaplain to do Divine service within the same; also grant of 10*l.* a year out of the issues of the county of Flint, for his salary and the repairs of the said chapel. S. B. No. 32. 21 Sept.

Grant to John Camelle of a certain old and ruinous tenement called le Lambe, in Distaflane, in 21 Sept.

1485. the city of London, to him and his assigns for ever. 1 Hen. VII. S. B. No. 33.

21 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to John Pygge (for service as well beyond the sea as in the realm of England), of the office of bailiff of Longleduam, co. Linc. S. B. No. 34.

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to Robert Blake, of the office of ranger of Groveley, co. Wilts. S. B. No. 35.

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Rake ("in consideracioun " of the true and faithfull service which oure true " servant hath doon unto us aswel beyonde the see " as oon thisside in our grete journey, and soo hartlie " entendeth to doo heraftre"), of the office of keeper of the park of Fremantyll, co. Southampton. S. B. No. 36.

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Anneon (" in consideracion " of the true and diligent service doone unto us at our " roial triumph and victory"), of the office of keeper of the ferry and passage of Portathye, co. Carnarvon, North Wales. S. B. No. 37.

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to the king's trusty and well-beloved chaplain Thomas Savage, doctor of laws, of the office of chancellor of the earldom of the marches, with wages, &c. such as Master Richard Martin or William Catesby, late chancellors there, had and enjoyed with the same. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 40. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Denton, esq. (for true and faithful service done unto the King and unto his righte " dere and moste best beloved lady and modre"), of the offices of keeper of the castle of Folkingham, and keeper of the two parks there, co. Linc. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 41. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17).

21 Sept. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the most reverend fader in God, Thomas, archebisshope of York, primate

1 Hen. VII. of England and of the apostolique se legate, kepare of oure grete seel, greting. We late you wite, that we, in consideracioun of the trewe and faithfulle service whiche oure trusty servaunt and squire Anthony Kene hathe doone unto us of tyme passed, and so during his lif entendeth to doo herafter, of our especialle grace have yevene and graunted unto him all the houses belonging unto us within our paloys of Westmynstre, with the keping of paradise and helle within oure halle of Westmynstre, and three tenementes which Jakes Fryes had and occupied, the keeping of purgatory within oure said halle which Nicholas Hatfeld had and occupied, with Puttan's house under oure Eschequiere, the toure and the grenelatice which John Catesby had and occupied, which towre and alle the said tenementes excede not the yerely value of 21*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, to have, occupie, and enjoye the said houses, towre, and places, and every of them, for terme of his lif, without any thing therefore to us yelding or accompt making. Wherefore we wolle and charge you that under oure saide seele ye do make hereupone oure letters patentes in due and sufficiente forme. Yeven under oure prive seele at oure citie of Londone the 20 day of Septembre, the first yere of oure reigne. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 42. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22). 1485.

Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Says (in consideration of the feithfulle service that oure subgit and liegeman hath doone unto us in oure laste victorious journey for the subduyeng of oure rebelles), of the office of waterbailiff of the town of Gloucester. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 43. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17). 21 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John, earl of Oxford (in consideration of sincere and inward affection which the King bears him), of the office of admiral of England, Ireland, and Acquitain. To hold maritime courts, &c.; to appoint deputies when unable to attend to the duties himself; not to have cognizance of any plea, 21 Sept.

1485. &c. touching wreck of the sea. Other clauses defining his powers. P. S. No. 44. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23). 1 Hen. VII.

21 Sept. General pardon to Nicholas Righby, of Kingeston-upon-Thames, co. Surrey, yeoman; alias Nicholas Righeby, of London, yeoman; alias Righbye, late of Hanslap, yeoman; alias Nicholas Rigby, yeoman; alias Nicholas Richby. P. S. 15 Sept. No. 45. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to the king's well-beloved chaplain Master Christopher Urswik, the king's almoner, of the prebend within the collegiate chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster, void by decease of Master Thomas Danet, "and late surrepticiously and "by pretended and injuste title occupied by oone "Maister William Beverlay." P. S. 15 Sept. No. 46. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Knyfton, esq., of the offices of constable of the castle of Tykhill, and porter of the same, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the honor of Tykhill. P. S. 13 Sept. No. 47. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

21 Sept. General pardon to Thomas Barowe, clk., rector of Olney, co. Northampton, alias Bucks., otherwise called Thomas Barow, clk., late keeper or clerk of the rolls, books, and other records of the Chancery to Richard the Third, late in deed and not of right king of England, otherwise keeper of the great seal to the same king, of all offences, &c. committed before the date hereof, and of the suit of the king's peace for the same; also appointment, for life, as one of the masters in Chancery, with all fees, &c. pertaining to such office; also confirmation of the estate, title, and interest he has in a prebend in the chapel of St. Stephen within the palace of Westminster. Clause ordering the lord chancellor and the Court of Chancery to permit the said Barow to enjoy the said office; clause ordering all the king's officers, subjects, &c. to permit the said

1 Hen. VII. Barow to live in and enjoy all his possessions, &c. 1485.
P. S. 13 Sept. No. 48. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

Presentation of Peter Grevys, chaplain to the parish church of Buckeby, Linc. dioc., void by death of Master John Stonys, last rector thereof, and in the king's gift. P. S. 10 Sept. No. 49. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24). 21 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Hourde (for services to the Crown at great costs and expenses to himself) of the offices of controller of the coinage of tin, cos. Cornwall and Devon, and of keeper of the gaol of Lostwhithioll, with wages out of the issues of the duchy of Cornwall. P. S. 10 Sept. No. 50. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24). 21 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Richard Nanfan, esquire for the king's body, of the offices of steward of the town or manor of Tewkisbury, keeper of the park and lodge there, co. Glouc., and the pannage, herbage, &c. of the said park; steward of the manor or lordship of Elmeley, co. Worc., keeper of the park, lodge, and warren there, and the pannage, herbage, &c.; of master or keeper of the chace of Croslawnde, co. Worc., and the pannage, herbage, &c. to the said chace pertaining, and of sheriff of the county of Worc.; with wages of 20*l.* sterling a year for the office of steward of Tewkisbury, and all wages, fees, &c. pertaining to the other offices above described. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 51. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23). 21 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Robert Jay ("in consideracioun of "the true service that oure faithfulle servaunt Robert "Jay hath doone unto us, as wele beyonde the see as "within this our royaume, at oure victorious felde,") "of "the keping of oure new bulwerk at oure Towre "of Londone withoute the Lyon gate, with the houses "upone the Towre wharfe and the gardens upone the "Towre hille," with all wages, fees, &c. to such keeping pertaining. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 52. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). 21 Sept.

1485. 21 Sept. Grant, for life, to John, duke of Suffolk, of the office of constable of the castle of Wallinford, co. Berks. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 53. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22). 1 Hen. VII.

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Martyndale ("in considera- " cioun of true and faithefulle service whiche oure " welbeloved servaunt hathe doone unto us in tyme " passed, and during his liff entendethe to do, aswell " by yonde the see as on this syde"), of the office of keeper of the park of the lordship of Kelsal, co. Suff., "whiche John, duc of Norffolk, late occupied." P. S. 19 Sept. No. 54. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Stokke, knt., of the office of keeper of the new park of Rokyngham. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 55. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to James Parker, esq., of the offices, feodary of the honor of Walingford, co. Berks., and porter of the castle there. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 56. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to James Parker, esq., one of the gentlemen ushers of the chamber, of the offices of constable, porter, and gaoler of the castle of Gloucester, with wages, &c. such as Richard, Lord Beauchamp, enjoyed. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 57. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to Hugh Conwey, esq., of the office of keeper of the great wardrobe. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 58. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Fitz Herbert, of the office of king's remembrancer in the Exchequer of England, with such wages, fees, &c. as he lately had when holding the same office. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 59. Pat. p. 1. m. 27 (10).

21 Sept Grant, for life, to Nicholas Knyfton, esq., of the offices of constable, steward, and porter of the castle of Scardebourgh, co. York. P. S. 17 Sept. No. 60. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

1 Hen.VII. Grant, for life, to Gilbert Mawdesley, one of the king's serjeants at arms, of the offices of keeper of the Moore park within Windsor Forest, and of keeper of the chace and outwoods of Crambourne, nigh adjoining to the said forest, "whiche William Staffertone "oure rebelle late hadde." P. S. 18 Sept. No. 61. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). 1485. 21 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Case, esq., of the offices of constable of the high castle of Newcastell upon Tyne, co. Northumberland, bailiff of Fosse at the city of York, and steward of the lordship of Trowbrige, co. Wilts. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 62. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22). 21 Sept.

Grant to Edmund of Brierton, during pleasure, of the offices of bailiff of Henley in Ardren, co. Warwick, and for life of keeper of the two parks there, "which "one William Pye oure rebelle late had." P. S. 18 Sept. No. 63. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11). 21 Sept.

Grant to Piers Curteys (in consideracioun of the true hert and service that oure welbeloved servant, Piers Curteys hath borne and doon hertofore unto us during . . . . . to doo as of the grete persecucion, jupardies, and peynes, robberyes and losses of his goods, which . . . . . susteyned for oure sake and quarelle, and for the same hathe long tyme kept the sanctuary at . . . . . grete hevynesse, peyne, and fere, abiding oure commyng,) of the offices of . . . . . feodary of the honor, town, and lordship of Leycestre, and of keeper of the park called the Frith . . . . . the park called Beaumondles lying beside the said Frith (*in very bad condition*). S. B. No. 38. 21 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Ude (for services beyond the sea and on this side) of the office of bailiff errant within the county of Cornwall. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 64. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15). 21 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Hoxon, of the office of spigurnel in the Chancery of England, with wages, &c. 21 Sept.

1485. from the 24th of August last. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 65. 1 Hen. VII. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to Robert Coorte, of the office of keeper of the park of Blakedon, parcel of the manor of Cramborne, co. Dorset. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 66. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to Robert Coorte, of the office of one of the auditors of the duchy of Cornwall, with wages, &c. such as John Brouke had in the same office. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 67. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24).

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Iwarby, esq., of the office of steward of the manors of Banstede and Walton super Montem, co. Surrey. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 68.

21 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to William Segewike (in consideracioun of the faithfulle service that oure true liegeman hathe doone unto us atte oure late victorious feld), of the office of bailiff of Erdley and Erdyngton, co. Warwick. P. S. No. 69. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16).

21 Sept. Grant, in survivorship, to Edward ap Eden and John Wyty . . . (for true and faithful service done "aswel "in this our late victorious filde as otherwyse"), of the office of woodward of Meriounyethshire. S. B. No. 38.

21 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Cotton, of the office of keeper of the park of Kyrtelynge, co. Camb. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 70. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16).

21 Sept. Grant to Robert Kyn', gentleman, of the farm of Bidfeld within the hundred of Bisseley, co. Glouc., for seven years, at a yearly rent of 100*s*. Orig. m. 23.

21 Sept. to 5 Dec. Rex universis et singulis vicecomitibus majoribus ballivis dominis magistris marinariis navium et aliis ministris et fidelibus nostris, tam infra libertates quam extra, ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos, de fidelitate et circumspectione dilecti nobis Rogeri Machado alias Richemounde Herod plenius confidentes, assignavimus ipsum Rogerum, scrutatorem nostrum in portu villæ Suthampton et in singulis portubus et locis eidem

1 Hen. VII. portui adjacentibus, ad explorandum per se in propria persona sua et non per substitutum omnes naves et batellos extra regnum nostrum Angliæ transeuntes et ad idem regnum venientes in portubus et locis prædictis; et ad scrutinium faciendum de omnibus navibus et batellis hujusmodi, et de personis, de quibus sinistra suspicio haberi poterit, quod si lanæ pelles lanutæ coria panni aut mercimonia custumabilia, non cokettata nec custumata, in eisdem navibus, aut aurum vel argentum in pecunia numerata aut massa vel plata jocalia, carcata seu posita fuerint, vel aliquæ personæ bullas litteras instrumenta vel processus vel aliqua alia nobis vel hæredibus nostris præjudicialia, infra vel extra regnum nostrum prædictum, detulerint, contra proclamationes et inhibitiones ex parte nostra inde factas; et ad omnia lanas pelles coria pannos aut alia mercimonia custumabilia non cokettata, aut alias contra inhibitiones et proclamationes nostras prædictas, ac omnia bullas litteras instrumenta aut alia quæcumque, quæ, nobis aut subditis nostris præjudicialia, in dictis navibus vel batellis inventa fuerint, tanquam nobis forisfacta, unacum navibus et personis ea ducentibus, arestanda, et salvo custodiri facienda, quousque super hoc duxerimus ordinandum; ac ad omnia alia quæ ad officium prædictum pertinent exercenda et facienda, et ad certificandum nobis in cancellaria nostra de toto facto suo in hac parte. Habendum et occupandum officium prædictum quamdiu nobis placuerit, unacum medietate forisfacturæ prædictæ, ita quod nobis de altera medietate ejusdem forisfacturæ, quæ per prædictum Rogerum sic arestari contigerit, respondeat et fidelem compotum reddat inde ad scaccarium nostrum. Et ideo vobis et cuilibet vestrum sub forisfactura quæ nobis forisfacere poteritis præcipimus, firmiter injungentes, quod præfato Rogero in præmissis omnibus et singulis faciendis et exequendis intendentes sitis consulentes et auxiliantes, quotiens et prout idem Rogerus vobis aut alicui ves- 1485.

1495. trum scire fecerit ex parte nostra. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium vicesimo primo die Septembris. 1 Hen.VII.

Consimiles litteras regis patentes habent subscripti in portubus subscriptis sub data subscripta videlicet:—

Johannes Honyland junior in portubus villarum Exoniæ et Dartemouth' et in singulis portubus et locis eisdem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium sextodecimo die Novembris.

Nicholaus Job in portu villæ de Briggewater et in singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium quarto die Decembris.

Johannes Frye in portu villæ Bristolliæ et in singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium vicesimo quarto die Septembris.

Willielmus Shore in portubus villarum Gippewici et Yermouth' et in singulis portubus et locis eisdem portubus adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium quinto die Novembris.

Johannes Fesaunte in portu villæ de Poole et in singulus portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium quintodecimo die Novembris.

Edwardus Hexstall in portu villæ Sandewici et in singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium quinto die Octobris.

Randulphus Thorsby in portu villæ de Lynne et in singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium quinto die Octobris.

Willielmus Hille in portu villæ Cicestriæ et in singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium, quinto die Decembris.

1 Hen.VII. Willielmus Broke in portu villæ Sandewici et in singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium octavo die Decembris. 1485.

Johannes Llewellin in portu civitatis Londoniæ et in singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adjacentibus. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium vicesimo secundo die Septembris. Orig. m. 16.

Grant, for life, to John, earl of Oxford, of the office of keeper of the lions, lionesses, and leopards now within the Tower of London, and which shall at any future time be there; with a place in the Tower appointed for the keeper, and another place ordered for the animals; with wages of 12*d.* a day for himself, and 6*d.* a day for the support of each animal, out of the issues, &c. of the city of London. A proviso empowering the lord chancellor of England for the time being to examine the said earl from time to time upon oath as to the number of animals he has in his keeping, and to issue writs of livery of 6*d.* a day in such numbers as the said earl shall swear to be necessary; the said earl's statement upon oath is to justify the issue of the writs by the chancellor, and the allowance of the money upon the accompts of the sheriffs of London at the Exchequer. P. S. No. 71. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23). 22 Sept.

Safe conduct and special protection, for one year, to the venerable fathers the bishops of Dunkeld, Aberdeen, and Glasgow, the abbot of Holy Cross, the lord of Bouhtwell', William Murray, knt., and John Murray, esq., with 80 persons in their company, coming from Scotland into England. Licence is granted to them to come and go to and from England and Scotland and foreign parts as often as they wish, and to stay in England as long as may be necessary for their affairs during the limits of this protection. S. B. No. 39[a]. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Howell ap Griffith ap Howell, of the fee-farm of the town of Pennanllewe, co. Merioneth, 22 Sept.

1485. in North Wales, he paying 40*s.* sterling yearly there- 1 Hen. VII.
fore. S. B. No 40.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Crue, scholar of the University of Oxford, of the keeping of the Hospital of St. John without the Northgate of the city of Chester. S. B. No. 41.

22 Sept. General pardon to Thomas Windesore, alias Windesoure, alias Windelsore, esq., of Stanwell, co. Midd., and of London, of all offences previous to this pardon, with restitution of lands. P. S. 14 Sept. No. 72.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Kendall, of the offices of constable and keeper of the castle of Colchester, and of the hundred of Tendring, and of two parts of a water-mill with appurtenances, co. Essex. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 73.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Roger Tocotes, knt., of the offices of constable of the castle of Devises, steward of the manors and lordships of Marleburgh, Devises, and Ronde, co. Wilts, steward of all possessions parcel of the earldoms of Warwick and Salisbury, or in anywise annexed to the said earldoms, in the county of Wilts, and steward of the lordships and manors of Sudbury, Faireford, Whitington, and Chelworth, co. Glouc. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 74. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22).

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Carre (in consideracioune of true and faithefulle service doon unto us of tyme passed, aswele beyonde the see as on this side), of the office of keeper of the park of Credelyng, co. York. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 75.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Knight (in consideracioun of the trewe and faithfulle service doone unto us, aswell beyonde the see as in this oure reaume, at this our most victorious journey), of the office of keeper of the park of Racchcford, co. Essex. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 76.

22 Sept. Grant to Piers Warton of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Salwarppe, co. Worc., during pleasure,

1 Hen.VII. and keeper of the park there for life. P. S. 19 Sept. 1485.
No. 77. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17).

Grant, for life, to John, earl of Oxford, of the offices 22 Sept.
of steward of the lordship of Rising, constable of the castle there, and master of the game or ranger of the chace of Rysing, co. Norfolk. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 78. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2).

Grant, for life, to Piers Warton, of the office of 22 Sept.
keeper of the castle of Windesore. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 79. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17).

Grant to Peter Warton of the offices of bailiff of 22 Sept.
the manor of Chelismore, during pleasure, and keeper of the same manor and park of Chelismore belonging to the same manor, for life, in the county of the city of Coventry; also grant of five messuages within the said city, at the present time in the hands of the Crown, with wages, &c. such as Henry Ferrers, knt., and Robert Hadley enjoyed with the same. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 80. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18).

Grant, for life, to John a Woode (for services, as well 22 Sept.
in parts beyond the sea as in this realm), of the offices of porter of the castle of Hadley, co. Essex, and parker of the park there. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 81.

Grant, for life, to John Pylton, esq. (in considera- 22 Sept.
tion of good and faithful service done to the king's most dear predecessor, Henry VI.), of the office of ranger of the bailiwicks of Cliff Brigstok and Rokyngham, and of all foreign parks and woods within the said bailiwicks within the forest of Rokyngham, co. Northampton. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 82. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11).

Grant, for life, to Sir John Rysley, knt. (in consi- 22 Sept.
deration of the true hert and service that oure humble servant and true liegeman, Sir John Rysley, knighte, hathe borne and doone unto us in soundry wise herbefore, aswele beyonde the see as at oure late victorious felde had within this oure realme, to his grete

1485. charge, labour, and jeopardie, and he feithfully en- 1 Hen. VII.
tendethe to contynue his trouthe and service unto us during his life), of the offices of constable of the castle of Plasshe, keeper of the great park of Plasshe, bailiff and parker of the town and park of Dunmow, co. Essex, and keeper of the park of Lytley, co. Essex. P. S. 16 Sept. No. 83.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Henry Skeyleman, of the offices of keeper of the manor and parks of Eltham, co. Kent. P. S. 17 Sept. No. 84.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Henry Veere, esq., of the office of steward of the lordships of Rowell and Tychemersshe, co. Northampton. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 85.

22 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Morley, of the office of bailiff in Fallesley Hundred, co. Northampton. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 86. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

22 Sept. Grant to John Stafford of the office of bailiff of the Roppe Hastinges (rape of Hastings), co. Sussex. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 87. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Jaques (James) Haute, son of one Martyn Haute, of the office of steward of Hanslap, co. Northampton. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 88. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16).

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Henry Trafford, esq., of the offices of steward of the town and lordship of Penreth and constable of the castle of Penreth, co. Cumb. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 89.

22 Sept. Grant to Thomas Cooke, of Stafford, of the office of parker of the park of Mawdeley during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 90. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22).

22 Sept. Grant to John Hanmer, of the office of keeper of Tylstok Park, Bubney Woods, and Anghynton Woods, and of all the offices thereunto belonging, during the minority of the earl of Shrewsbury. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 91. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Wheteley, of the office of bailiff of the town of Rothwell, with the hundred of the same, co. Northampton. P. S. No. 92. 1485. 22 Sept.

Grant to Bartholomew Seintleger, esq., of the offices of steward and surveyor of all the possessions belonging to Anne, late duchess of Excestre, in the county of Devon, with wages, &c. out of the issues of the manors of Fremyngton and Bovy Tracy, co. Devon. S. B. No. 42. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Simon Digby, of the office of lieutenant of the forests of Shirwode, Beskwode, and Clipston, and of the woods of Billowe, Birkeland, Rumwode, Ouseland, and Fulwode, co. Notts, with wages of 20*l.* per annum, viz., 10*l.* out of the issues, &c. of the fee-farm of the mills of Retford, by the hands of the abbot and convent of Welbeke, and 10*l.* out of the issues of the castle of Nottingham; also grant, for life, of the office of keeper of the park of Clipston and of the wod s of Nottingham, co. Notts. S. B. No. 43. 22 Sept.

Grant to John Thomson of the offices of bailiff of the manor of Sherston, co. Wilts, and keeper of the warren there; to hold (from the 22nd day of August) during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Elisabeth, late duchess of Clarence. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 93. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Richard Broune, of the office of one of the foresters of the upper ward of the forest of Inglewode. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 94. 22 Sept.

Grant to Richard Gyll (for service, "aswelle in the "parties beyonde the see as within this oure realme") of the offices of keeper of the castle of Helmesleghe and of the two parks there, with the outwoods to the said castle belonging, for life; also of bailiff of the town and lordship of Helmeslegh, co. York, during pleasure, with such wages, &c. as Geffrey Frank enjoyed in the same office. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 95. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). 22 Sept.

1485. 22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Doland, of the office of clerk of the works within the kingdom of England, with wages for himself and a clerk out of the issues, &c. of the counties of London and Middlesex, and all other emoluments, &c., such as Thomas Stratton, deceased, late had with the same office. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 96. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 1 Hen. VII.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Baskett, of the office of controller of the works within the kingdom of England, with wages of 12*d.* a day for himself, and 6*d.* a day for a clerk under him, out of the issues of the counties of Cambridge and Hunts, and with a livery each year at Christmas, and all emoluments belonging to the said office. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 97. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33).

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Roger Cotton, knight, of the offices of sheriff of the counties of Glamorgan and Morgannock, and steward of all the castles, lordships, manors, vills, lands, and tenements there, chancellor of the said counties, constable of Cardiff Castle, master forester of the forests, chaces, parks, warrens, and woods within the said counties, and approver of the said castles, manors, &c., with such fees, &c. as James Tyrell, knt., had when sheriff there; also grant, for life, of the office of one of the parkers of the parks of Gryngley Parks and Wheteley Hawe, co. Notts. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 98. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21).

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to James Worsley, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, of the offices of keeper of the manor of Canford, co. Dorset, with the fee of 1*d.* a day, keeper of the garden and parks of the same, and bailiff there. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 99.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Radclyf, esq. ("for feithfull "service in oure last victorious journey"), of the office of porter of the town of Berwyk. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 100.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to John of Chambre, of the office of walker of the forest of Gawtresse, co. York, and the bowbearership of the same forest. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 101.

1 Hen. VII. Grant to Nicholas Bellyngham of the office of bailiff of Tyndale, co. Northumb., during the minority of Henry Burghchiere, knt., a ward of the Crown. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 102. 1485. 22 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Grenewey, of the office of auditor of the accompts of the receivers, farmers' bailiffs, reeves, and other the king's officers and ministers of the possessions late belonging to John, earl of Shrewsbury, now in the hands of the Crown through the minority of George, earl of Shrewsbury. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 103. 22 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Walshe, of the offices of feodary of the great court of the honor of Gloucester in Bristol, called le Erlescourt, and of surveyor and receiver of the manor and hundred of Bertone near Bristol, co. Glouc., in the hands of the Crown through the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence; also grant, during pleasure, of the office of surveyor and receiver of the lordship and manor of Thornebury, co. Glouc., in the hands of the Crown through the minority of Edward, son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 104. 22 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Selman, one of the yeomen of the guard (for services beyond the sea and on this side), of the offices of bailiffs of the lordships of Torington and Hollesworth, co. Devon. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 105. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). 22 Sept.

Grant to Sir Humfrey Stanley, knt., of the office of steward of the possessions in the county of Stafford late belonging to Henry, duke of Buckingham, during the minority of the son and heir, and as long as the same shall remain in the hands of the Crown. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 106. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Byrron, esq., of the offices of constable of the castle of Notingham and of janitor or keeper of the gate of the same castle; also of steward and keeper of the forest of Shirwood, and keeper of 22 Sept.

1485. the parks and woods of Billowe, Birkelond, Rumwode, Ouselonde, and Fulwoode, co. Notts., with wages of 40 marks sterling a year out of the manor or lordship of Bolessovere, co. Derby ; also grant, for life, of a yearly rent of 9*l.* for the wages of nine foresters, to be appointed by the said John, out of the meadows near the castle of Notingham called Kinges Medowes, and the profits of the pannage and herbage of the park of Beskewode. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 107. 1 Hen. VII.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Thomas Melbourne, knt., of the offices of constable of the castle of Salesbury, co. Wilts., and keeper of the gaol in the town of Salesbury. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 108. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23). Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15).

22 Sept. Grant to William Sclatere of the offices of bailiff of the hundred of Chadlyngton, co. Oxon., during pleasure, and keeper of the park of Wightmede, co. Glouc., for life. P S. 20 Sept. No. 109. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26).

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to John, earl of Oxford, of the office of constable of the Tower of London. P. S. No. 110. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23).

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir John Risley, knt. (for services beyond the sea and on this side), of the office of keeper of the place lying in the parish of Chikwell, within the forest of Waltham, called Potelles, otherwise called Langfordes Place, with the lodge adjoining thereunto, heretofore granted to him by king Edw. IV. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 111. Pat. p. 3. m. 1 (27).

22 Sept. Grant to Richard Nanfan, esquire for the king's body, Richard Rugge, esq., and Thomas Hillis, gentleman, of the custody of the manors and lordships of Cokeham and Bray, co. Berks., and of everything pertaining to same, and of the lands, rents, pastures, and purprestures in the parish of Bray, in the forest of Wyndesore, and of all assarts, purprestures, &c., &c., as well within the forest of Wyndesore as the lordships or manors aforesaid, for seven years, at a yearly rent of

1 Hen. VII. 133*l.* 7*s.* 8*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* 1485.
Orig. m. 25.

Grant to Robert Brent of the custody of the manor of Huntyngfeld, co. Kent, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 10*l.* 0*s.* 8*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 15. 22 Sept.

Grant to Henry Veer, esq., of the custody of the manor or lordship of Gedyngton, co. Northampton, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 23*l.* 0*s.* 9½*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 8*d.* Orig. m. 20. 22 Sept.

Grant to Richard Passemere of the custody of the manor of Withecokke, co. Leic., for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 3*l.*, and a yearly rent of increase of 20*s.* Orig. m. 20. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Hugh Browne ("in consideracioun " of the good and true service that our humble subgit " hath doone unto us in oure late victorious journey, " to the jeopardie of his life"), of the office of forester of Lothewode, co. Salop. P. S. No. 112. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Robert Skerne, esq. (in consideration of the singular affection the king bears him and of the good and acceptable service he has performed, as well in parts beyond the sea whilst the king was abroad as in a variety of ways within the kingdom of England, not only by favoring the king's royal right and title, by force and authority whereof, with the help of God, the king not long since arrived at the crown of the realm of England, but also by resisting and repressing the king's rivalling enemy and adversary, Richard, late duke of Gloucester, the usurper of the king's right and crown aforesaid, and his accomplices and adherents, who had some time since stirred up wars and commotions against the king within his kingdom), of the offices of keeper of the manor and garden of Shene, co. Surrey, and of the park there called le Newe Parc, and seven acres of meadow lying near Chertsey Bridge, co. Midd., kept for the feeding 23 Sept.

1485. of the king's deer within the said park in winter time ; also of keeper of the warren of the lordship of Shene, with wages, &c. out of the issues of the lordships or manors of Shene, Patresham, Kayo, Hamme, and the isle of Crowet ; also grant of 2*d.* a day for the support and repair of the pales and hedges of the said park. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 113. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34). 1 Hen. VII.

23 Sept. Grant to John Bery of the offices of bailiff of Sutton, co. Warwick, during pleasure, and of keeper of the park there, for life. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 114. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4).

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Lee (in consideration of the true and faithfulle service whiche oure true subget did unto us in this our victorious journey), of the office of keeper of the park of Burley, co. Leic. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 115.

23 Sept. Grant to Libeus Digby (in consideration of true and faithful service done in "oure victorious journey"), of the offices of bailiff of the town of Lugburgh, co. Leic., during pleasure, and of keeper of the park of Lugburgh, for life. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 116. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11).

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Everard Derby, of the offices of steward of the Prince fee, co. Leic., and feodary of Peverels fee, co. Leic. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 117. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16).

23 Sept. Licence to John Cheyne, knt., to present, for one turn only, a clerk of his own chosing to the rectory of Shepton Malet, Bath dioc., whenever the same shall become void through the consecration of Hugh Pavy, the now rector thereof, as bishop of St. David's. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 118.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Owen Lloid, of the office of constable of the castle of Cardigan in South Wales, with wages, &c. out of the profits of the exchequer of Cardigan. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 119.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to William Stanley, knt., of the office of one of the chamberlains of the receipt of the Exchequer, or of one of the chamberlains of the Exchequer, viz. that office which James Tyrrell, knt., lately had by grant from Richard, late duke of Gloucester, together with the appointment and ordering of one of the ushers of the Exchequer when a vacancy shall happen, and all appointments, wages, &c. pertaining to his office. P. S. 15 Sept. No. 120. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 1485. 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Atkyns (for true and faithful service to the king and to his lady mother), of the office of coroner of the marshalsea of the king's household. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 121. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17). 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Farnwell, gentleman (in consideracioun of the feithfull service which oure true subget and feithfull liegeman John Farnwell, gentilman, hath doone unto us, aswele beyond the see as on this side in oure victorious journay, and so during his lyfe entendeth to do heraftre), of the office of keeper of the park of Abourley, co. Worc., with fees, &c. out of the lordship of Abourley. P. S. 15 Sept. No. 122. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32). 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, of an annuity of 10*l.* out of the customs in the port of Southampton to Thomas Chewe clk., the king's chaplain appointed to perform Divine service in the chapel of St. George within the king's tower at the town of Southampton for the healthful estate of the king and of his most dear mother, and for their souls after death, and the souls of the king's progenitors. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 123. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27). 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Marmaduc Beek, gent., of the office of keeper of the manor and park of Esthamsted within the forest of Wyndesore. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 124. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17). 23 Sept.

1485. 23 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Boxwell, of a tenement, with appurtenances, in Smythfeld without the walls of the city of London, late belonging to Alan Messengere, a native of Scotland, and late in the tenure of John Colyns and Alan Newman, which tenement does not exceed the yearly value of 3*s.* 8*d.* without accompt. P. S. 11 Sept. No. 125. 1 Hen. VII.

23 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Stanciall, the younger ("in consideration of the good and true ser- " vice that oure feithfulle liegeman hathe nowe late doone " unto us in subduyng oure enemyes and traytors "), " of the office of bailiff of the stannary of Penworth and Kyrieth, co. Cornwall. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 126. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Gilbert Gilpyn, of the office of swanherd and master of the game of and upon the water of Temmes, and all rivers and creeks pertaining to the same. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 127. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17).

23 Sept. Grant for life, to Edmund Haistings, knt., of the offices of steward of the lordship of Pikering and Pikeringlith, co. York, of master of the forest there, of parker of the park of Blandesby near Pikering, and of rider of the same forest. S. B. No. 44.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Ithell Wynn, of Moldesdall (in consideration of good and faithful service " doone in oure " last victorious journey ayenst our mortall enemyes " and rebelles "), of the office of steward of Cayrus in Flintshire. S. B. No. 45.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Colyns, of a corrody within the monastery of Gloucester. S. B. No. 46.

23 Sept. Grant to Robert Brereton, priest, of the parsonage of the church of [Wilundene] Linc. dioc., " late of the " patronage of oure rebelle Thomas Stafford," void and at the disposal of the Crown, " aswele by reason " of the forfaicture and rebellion of the same Thomas

1 Hen. VII. " as by the decesse of the late incumbent thereof." S. B. No. 47. 1485.

Grant to William Norreys, knt., of the custody of the manor of Langley during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence (the same having come into the hands of Edw. IV. before coming into the king's hands); also grant of the offices of lieutenant and master forester or keeper of the forest of Whichewode, and of steward of the manors of Boreford, Shipton, Spellesbury, and the hundred of Chadelyngton, which offices, through the forfeiture of George, duke of Clarence, and the minority of his heir, came into the hands of king Edw. IV., and were heretofore granted by him to the said William Norreys; to hold these offices as long as they shall continue in the hands of the Crown. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 128. 23 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Aleyn, of the office of one of the auditors of the duchy of Cornwall. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 129. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15). 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Mathew (for services " in " the parties beyonde the see and also within this our " reaume "), of the corrody within the monastery of Cerne, co. Dorset, void through the decease of William Ede, and in the gift of the Crown. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 130. 23 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Makinus Lappyng, of the office of bailiff of Barnolwik and keeper of the woods of the same, co. York. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 131. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Master Christopher Urswik, the king's almoner, of the office of notary or prothonotary of the Chancery, with wages out of the hanaper. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 132. 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Brereton, one of the gentlemen ushers of the king's chamber, of the offices of constable of the castle of Warwick, steward of the 23 Sept.

1485. lordship of Warwick, with its members, and master of the game of Wegenok, co. Warwick, with wages, &c. such as John Hugford, esq. had in the same office. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 133. 1 Hen. VII.

23 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to John Stanchewe (in consideration of true and faithful service "at this oure "victoriouse journey"), of the office of bailiff of Wellowe, co. Somerset. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 134.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Wynter, esq., of the office of keeper or parker of the park of Weggenok, co. Warwick, with the appointment, ordering, &c. of all under officers necessary in the said park. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 135. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24).

23 Sept. Safe conduct and special protection for three years (at the instance and request of the king's most dear cousin, James, king of the Scots) to the ven. father William, bishop of Saintandros, and John Irland, clerk, with 52 persons in their company, coming from Scotland into England. This licence permits their coming and going, as often as they like, to and from England and Scotland and foreign parts, and making such stay in England as may be agreeable to them during the time limited by this protection. S. B. No. 48.

23 Sept. Grant to Thomas Sondes of the offices of bailiff of Chesthunt and Waltham Crosse, co. Hertf., and Claverynge, co. Essex, during pleasure, and of parker of the park of Chesthunte, otherwise Brayntyngeshey, co. Hertf., with wages, &c. such as John Chapman and John Luthington, late bailiff and parker there, enjoyed with the same (they having been appointed by Edw. IV.). P. S. 21 Sept. No. 136.

23 Sept. Grant to John Upcote ("in consideracioun of the "true and feithfulle hert and service whiche oure "humble subgiet hathe borne and doon unto us, aswele "beyonde the see as at oure late felde and journey"), of the office of captain of Dundagell, co. Cornwall, for life; also grant of the office of bailiff of the manor of

1 Hen. VII. Helston, co. Cornwall, during pleasure. 22 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 1485.

Grant, during pleasure, to the lord la Warre, of the rape of Brambre, and the lordships and manors within the same, co. Sussex, to farm, with the making of all officers within the same, and with all issues coming therefrom. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 137. 23 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Gilbert Maudesley, of the office of one of the king's serjeants at arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the fee-farm of the town of St. Alban's, co. Hertford. 22 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). 23 Sept.

Grant to Thomas Wyndesore, esq., of the custody of the manor of Kenyngton, alias Colde-Kenyngton, co. Midd., with all courts, views of frankpledge warrens, chattels of felons, fugitives, and convicted persons to the same belonging, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 20*l.*, and a yearly rent of increase of 20*d.* Orig. m. 13. 23 Sept.

Grant to Edward Tawke of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Warblyngton, co. Southampton, and keeper of the park there; the office of bailiff during pleasure, and the keepership during the minority of Edward, son and heir of George, late duke of Clarence, and as long as the said lordship shall be in the hands of the Crown. P. S. No. 138. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27). 24 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Hatton, of the office of water-bailiff of Salterslode, co. Norfolk. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Hugh Richard, servant unto the Lord Welles ("in consideration of good and true service "doon unto us hertofore, aswele in the parties beyond "the see as within this oure realme"), of the office of porter of the castle of Brelles in the marches of Wales, with the keeping of the forest of Canterseley in the same marches. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 2. m. 15 (11). 24 Sept.

Grant to Robert Bagger, one of the yeomen of the king's guard ("in consideratioun of the good and true 24 Sept.

1485. " service that oure welbeloved servant hath doone unto 1 Hen. VII.
" us in this oure victorious journeye in subduyng of oure
" enemyes "), of the offices of bailiff of Maxstok, porter there, and keeper of the park of the same, co. Warwick, during the minority of the duke of Buckingham. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

24 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to (Sir) Robert Willoughby, of the office of receiver of the duchy of Cornwall. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 139.

24 Sept. Grant to Master Christopher Urswyk, the king's almoner, in augmentation of the king's alms, of all goods and chattels of felons, of themselves, and all deodands forfeited within the kingdom and belonging to the Crown, from the first day of the king's reign as long as the same Christopher shall continue to be the king's almoner. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Owen ap Griffith, yeoman of the king's guard, of the offices of steward and haward of the lordship of Langharne, co. Carmarthen, in South Wales, and of constable of the castle there. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13).

24 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Hugh Blakmer, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Patengeham, co. Stafford. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Robert Willughby, knt., of the office of steward of all manner of mines in the counties of Devon and Cornwall in which there is any proportion of gold or silver. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

24 Sept. Grant to Lowys ap Res of the offices of keeper of the park of Hanslape, for life, and of bailiff of the lordship there, during pleasure. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

24 Sept. Grant to Thomas Leche, yeoman of the king's guard (" in consideracioun of the true and diligent service that
" our faithfull servaunt hath heretofore doone unto us,
" aswele in the parties of beyonde see as in this our
" royaume of England "), of the offices of porter and

1 Hen. VII. keeper of the castle of Excestre, for life, and of water-bailiff of the port and town of Plymouth, co. Devon, during pleasure. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 1485.

Grant to the king's chaplain, Master Geoffrey Elyse, bachelor of Cunle ("for faithfulle service doon unto us, "aswele beyonde the see as in this oure royaume of "England"), of the benefice and parsonage of Shipton under Whichewode, Lincoln dioc., void by the death of the last incumbent, and in the gift of the Crown by reason of the minority of Edward, son and heir of Elizabeth, late duchess of Clarence. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 140. 24 Sept.

Commission to Brian Rowcliff to be second baron of the Exchequer. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15). Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 24 Sept.

Commission to Edward Goldesburg to be third baron of the Exchequer. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 24 Sept.

Commission to John Holgrave to be fourth baron of the Exchequer. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 24 Sept.

Grant to Robert Willoughby, knt., of the office of receiver of the duchy of Cornwall. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Knolles, of the office of keeper of the park of Clarendon, co. Warwick. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 141. 24 Sept.

Grant to John Hanley, gent., (in consideration of true and faithful service "in oure late tryumphe and "victorie"), of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Wynge, co. Bucks, during pleasure, and of one of the four foresters of the forest of Galtresse, co. York, for life. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 142. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Richard Pigot, one of the yeomen of the king's guard (for "faithfull service doon unto "us of tyme passed, aswele beyond the see as on "this side"), of the office of keeper of the park of Potnall, co. Surr., within the precinct of the forest of Windsore. 21 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Frost (in consideration of good and continuous service which he performed, 24 Sept.

1485. as well beyond the sea in those parts where the king was before he returned, with the help of God, to this kingdom, as on this side of the sea, now lately in the conflict which has lately taken place between the king and his deadly enemies, sustaining thereby for a long time excessive losses in his goods and possessions), of the offices of keeper of the castle of the town of Sandwich, and of verger of the same town, with wages of 1*d.* a day out of the issues of the meadows called Castelmedes; also the office of bailiff of Sandwich, as well by land as by sea, during pleasure; also grant for life of the office of keeper of the park called New Parke, near Leskerd, co. Cornwall. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 143. 1 Hen. VII.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Byde, one of the king's guard, of the office of water-bailiff of the city of Duvelyn and the town of Drogheda in Ireland. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 144.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Wilson, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day (from 23 Aug. last) from the issues, &c. of the subsidy and ulnage of saleable cloths in the county and city of York and the town of Kingston upon Hull, and with a livery yearly at Christmas. 21 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Westbury, of the office of ranger of and within the forest of Milchet, co. Wilts. 21 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

24 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Adam Penyngton, of the office of chief bailiff of the franchise in Copland, co. Cumberland, with the myddelward in fee. 21 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Bulkeley [? Bukkeley], of the office of one of the four foresters of the forest of Galtresse, co. York. 21 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21).

24 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Nicholas Manley, gent., (in consideration of true and faithful service "doone "unto us by oure humble true liegeman in this oure "victorious felde"), of the office of bailiff of the town of Flamestede, co. Hertf. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 145.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Richard, Lord Fitzhugh, of the offices of steward of the franchises of Richemond and bailiff of the liberty of the same; of constable of the castle of Richmond; of steward of the lordship of Midelham and constable of the castle there; of master forester of the parks, forests, and chaces thereunto belonging; of steward and master forester of the Newe Forest besides Richmond, co. York; of steward of the castle and lordship of Bernard Castle; of constable of the same castle, and of master forester of the parks, forests, and chaces thereunto belonging. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 146. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17). 1845. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Sir Thomas Bougchier, knt., of the offices of constable of the castle of Ledis and keeper of the parks and outwoods of the same, and keeper of the park of Langley, co. Kent. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 147. 24 Sept.

General pardon to John Seymoure, of Wolphale, co. Wilts, esq., otherwise of Savernake, co. Wilts., otherwise late of Stokke, co. Wilts. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 148. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Piers Curteys ("in consideracioun "of the trewe hert and service that oure welbeloved "servaunt hathe borne and doone hertofore unto us, "and during his lif entendeth to doo, as of the gret "persecucioun, imprisonments, roberies, and lossis of "his goodes which he hath suffered, had, and susteyned "for oure sake and quarelle, and for the same haith "longe tyme kept the saintuary at Westmynstre, and "there lyved in gret hevynes, payne, and fere abyding "oure comyng"), of the office of keeper of the king's privy palace of Westminster, and of the king's wardrobe within the same, with wages, &c. from Easter last out of the fee-farm of the city of Winchester in the same way as he had the same by the gift of Edw. IV. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 149. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Hugh Louther, esq., of the office of steward of the forest of Inglewode, co. Cumb. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 150. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Henry Ley, one of the king's guard, of the office of keeper of the two parks of 24 Sept.

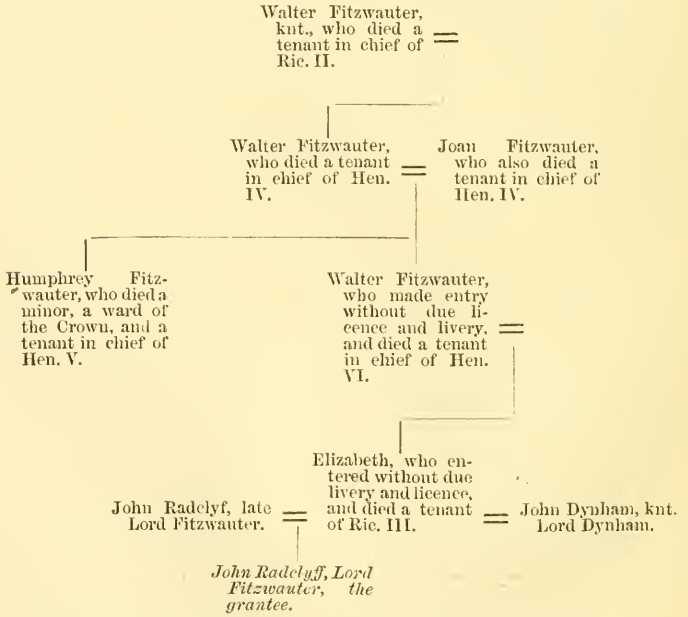
1485. Heylesbery and Langtegliles, co. Cornwall. P. S. 21 Sept. 1 Hen.VII.
No. 151. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Thomas Boughchier, knt., of of the office of keeper of the park of Byflete, co. Surrey. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 152.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Gilbert Maudesley, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, of the office of porter of the outer gate of the castle of Wyndesore, co. Berks., with the wages, &c. belonging to the same temp. Edw. III. and Ric. II. P. S. 21 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). No. 153.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Hammarton of the office of keeper of the manor and park of Dartington, co. Devon. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 154. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34).

24 Sept. Special livery and licence of entry, without proof of age, &c., to the under-mentioned John Radclyff, Lord Fitzwauter, and pardon of all former entries made by his ancestors without the king's licence. The following pedigree is set out:—


Walter Fitzwauter, knt., who died a tenant in chief of Ric. II.
Walter Fitzwauter, who died a tenant in chief of Hen. IV.
Joan Fitzwauter, who also died a tenant in chief of Hen. IV.
Humphrey Fitzwauter, who died a minor, a ward of the Crown, and a tenant in chief of Hen. V.
Walter Fitzwauter, who made entry without due licence and livery, and died a tenant in chief of Hen. VI.
Elizabeth, who entered without due livery and licence, and died a tenant of Ric. III.
John Radclyf, late Lord Fitzwauter.
John Dynham, knt. Lord Dynham.
John Radclyff, Lord Fitzwauter, the grantee.

P. S. 20 Sept. No. 155. Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29).

1 Hen. VII. Grant to Anthony Feteplace of the office of lawnderer of the lawnde of Burford within the forest of Whichewode, co. Oxon., with wages, &c. out of the issues of the lordships of Langelay, Whichewood, and Shipton in as ample a manner as John Herkourte, deceased, had the same. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 156. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34). 1485. 24 Sept.

Grant, in survivorship, to Edward Benstede and Philip Bittirley, esquires, of the office of the otterhuntes, with divers allowances of money for dogs, boys, food, &c., such as were allowed to Edward Fitz Simond, heretofore sheriff of Essex and Hertford, in his accompt at the Exchequer, 49 Edw. III. for that office, out of the customs in the port of the town of Southampton and the ports thereto adjoining. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 157. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Punche, of 6*d.* a day as wages for his office of one of the yeomen of the Crown from the 23rd of August last, when thereto appointed by the king, to be taken out of the customs in the port of the town of Pole and the ports adjoining; grant also, for life, of the offices of constable of the castle of Salop and of keeper of the gaol of the same castle and of the prisoners there, with wages &c. from the 23rd of August last, from which time he has performed the duties of the same offices; also grant of a meadow called Shirfmedowe, near Hencote, co. Salop, late held by Thomas Horford, rendering 12*d.* a year therefore at the Exchequer. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 158. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Cokesey, esq., of the offices of steward of the lordship of Henley in Arderne, co. Warwick, and of master of the game of the parks of Henley aforesaid, with all wages, fees, &c. to such offices pertaining. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 159. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Fulbrook, one of the yeomen of the guard, of the offices of forester of the forests of Kyngiswood, co. Glouc., and Fulwood, co. 24 Sept.

1485. Somerset, and of ranger of the same. P. S. 20 Sept. 1 Hen. VII. No. 160. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

24 Sept. Grant to Charles Barlow of the offices of steward and bailiff of Rayley, with the keeping of the park of the same, co. Essex; the office of bailiff during pleasure, and the stewardship and keepership for term of life, with all wages, fees, &c. to such offices pertaining. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 161. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Edmund Ede, of the office of keeper of the park of Hawns, co. Bedford. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 162. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Morgan, of the office of forester of Exmoor, co. Somerset, without accompt. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 163. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Middelton, one of the esquires of the king's household, of the office of keeper of the manor of Claringdon, co. Wilts. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 164. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Henry Dyke, of the offices of serjeant of the hart hounds, with wages, fees, &c. out of the profits of the counties of Somerset and Dorset, and of ranger within the forest of Wolmere, with wages, fees, &c. out of the profits of the county of Southampton. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 165.

24 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Lewes ap Ries, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Blislond, co. Cornwall. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 166. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Stanchawe (in consideration of true and faithfull service doone unto us, aswele beyond the see as on this side, in oure victorious journay), of the offices of keeper of the manor of Crokeham, and of bailiff and keeper of both parks there, co. Berks. P. S. 20 Sept. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (19). No. 167.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Fisshere, of the office of keeper of the park of Fulbroke, co. Warwick. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 168. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to (Sir) David Glyn, of the free chapel of Llekeryth and Mounte, co. Cardigan and St. David's dioc., in the king's gift. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 169. Pat. p. 2. m. 15 (11). 1485. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Moton, of the offices of porter of the castle of St. Briovelly within the forest of Deene, co. Glouc, of beadle of the same forest, and of keeper of le Gawle (the gaol), called le Gawle above the Wood, within the said forest, without accompt. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 170. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Anthony Fetespace, esq., of the office of keeper of the park of Berley, co. Oxon. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 171. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Mendham, of the office of keeper of the park of Hunderosly, co. Essex. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 172. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Rygby, archer of the king's guard ("in consideration of the good, true, and faithfull "hert and service that oure humble servaunt hathe "borne and doon toward us, as well by yonde the see "as at our late feld and journey"), of the bailiffship of the town of Rye, co. Sussex. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 173. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Cooke, of the offices of keeper of the manor of Plasshe, co. Essex, and keeper of the park thereto belonging. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 174. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Edmund Hampden, esq. (in consideration of true and faithful service, as well beyond the sea as over this side), of the offices of keeper of the park of Wodstok, with all offices belonging thereto, and keeper of the new forest adjoining thereto. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 175. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Burley (in consideration of true and faithfulle service doone unto us, aswele beyonde the see as in this our reaume), of the offices of porter of the castle of Devises and keeper of the park there, 24 Sept.

1485. with all such wages, fees, &c. as were enjoyed by John Webbe in the same offices. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 176. 1 Hen. VII.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Hoskyns (" in consideracioun " of the good and true service whiche oure welbeloved " subget hath doon unto us, aswele beyonde the see as on " this side), of the office of water-bailiff of the town of Bristol. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 177. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27).

24 Sept. Grant, to John Brampton, of the keeping of all the lands, &c. belonging to Sir John Powtrell, priest, in the city of London or elsewhere within the realm, which exceed not the yearly value of 10*l.*, in the king's gift owing to the idiocy of the said Powtrell; to hold during such idiocy, or as long as the same shall be in the king's hands, without accompt, " in as ample maner " and fourme as oure rebelle Edward Gowere late had " and occupied the same." P. S. 18 Sept. No. 178. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4).

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Brampton, esq. of the offices of keeper of the manor or lordship de le More, with all gardens, in co. Hertford, and of parker and warrenner of the park and warren of the said manor, and of keeper of a tenement or place called Bagesworth Hethe, and of two gardens adjoining to the said tenement, co. Hertford. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 179.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Thomas Bougchier, knt. of all such offices as he heretofore had, viz. the constableship of Windsor Castle, the manor of Purbright, and the park of Henden, co. Kent, with all wages, fees, &c. pertaining to such offices in as ample a manner as he heretofore held the same. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 180.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir William Willughby, knt. (for service " aswele beyonde the see as on this side "), of the office of constable of the castle of Norwich, co. Norfolk. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 181.

24 Sept. Grant, during good behaviour, to William Mistilbroke, of the offices of auditor of the accompts of the king's ministers and officers, of the castle and lordship of

1 Hen. VII. Cardyf, co. Glamorgan, and of the castle and lordship of Bergevenny, and of everything to the same castles and lordships belonging; also of all the manors, lordships, lands, and tenements in the counties of Cornwall, Devon, Somerset, Dorset, Wilts, and Southampton called Salesbury lands and Spencer lands, as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 182. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9). 1485.

Grant to James Kayley ("in consideracioun of the "good and true service which oure trusty servaunt hath "doon unto us in our last victorious journey"), of the offices of porter of the castle of Warwyk, keeper of the garden there, keeper of the meadows of the lordship of Warwick, and keeper of the lodge of Goderest, co. Warwick, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 183. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11). 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Stephen John, of the office of parker of Feccherey, co. Surrey. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 184. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 24 Sept.

Grant to John Sayvile, knt., of the offices of steward and master forester of the lordship or manor of Wakefeld and Sourbishire, co. York; of constable of the castle of [Sandall] near Wakefeld, for life; of bailiff of the town and lordship of Wakefeld, during pleasure; of keeper of the park of Sandall, and of keeper of the woods of Thurston, Hawe, Owtewode of Wakefeld, for life; also grant of an annuity of five marks out of the issues of the manor or lordship of Wakefeld. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 185. 24 Sept.

Grant to Edmund Holt of the offices of bailiff of Newport-paynell, co. Bucks., during pleasure, and of keeper of the park of Tikford, co. Bucks., for life. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 186. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8). 24 Sept.

Grant to Thomas Dygby of the offices of bailiff of the lordship and town of Olney, co. Bucks., during pleasure, and of parker of the park there, for life. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 187. 24 Sept.

1485. 24 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to John Browne ("in consideracioun of the true and goode service that oure humble subgiet and true liegeman hath doon unto us in oure late victorious journey, to his grete costes and jopardise"), of the office of bailiff of Greteham, co. Rutland. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 188. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11). 1 Hen. VII.

24 Sept. Grant to Richard Birley, of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Kymberworth, co. York, during pleasure, and of parker of the park there, for life. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 189. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13).

24 Sept. Grant to Edward Tawke of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Werblyngton, co. Southampton, during pleasure, and keeper of the park there during the minority of Edward, son and heir of George, late Duke of Clarence, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. Orig. m. 72.

25 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to John Gunter and Richard Lussher, of the offices of auditors of all and singular accompts touching the castle and lordship of Cardiff, with all issues, &c. in the counties of Glamorgan and Margannok in Wales; also of the castle and lordship of Bergevenny; also grant of the office of auditors of the accounts of all officers and ministers whatsoever of the castles and lordships of Brechon and Neuport, in the hands of the Crown owing to the minority of Edward, son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 190. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13).[1]

25 Sept. Grant to John Wheteley of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Connesbourgh, during pleasure, and of parker of the park there, for life. 23 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13).

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to Everard Dygby, of the offices of steward of the lordship of Okeham and bailiff of the lordships of Upyngham and Essenden, and ranger of the forest of Leyfeld, co. Rutl., with the same wages

[1] The patent roll grants only a portion, the latter half, viz. Brechon and Neuport.

1 Hen. VII. as Robert Rokley had therewith. (Vacated as to the rangership.) Pat. p. 2. m. 15 (11). 1485.

Grant, for life, to John Bevyn, of the office of clerk of the market of the king's household and throughout the realm of England; power given to him to inquire by jury into all offences committed by different traders, viz. brewers, bakers, victuallers, &c., and to punish offenders by imprisonment, fine, &c., and to retain all monies, &c. arising therefrom. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 191. 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Stafford, esq., of the office of keeper of the exchange and money within the Tower of London, and of the custody of the coinages of gold and silver within the said Tower and elsewhere within the kingdom of England, with wages such as were allowed for the same office in the last year of Edw. III. and the first year of Ric. II. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 192. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34). 25 Sept.

Grant to John Gervoys, one of the yeomen of the king's guard, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Halghton, Offeley, and Doxey, co. Staff., during the minority of John Bourgchier, Lord Berners. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 193. Pat. p. 1 m. 20 (17). 25 Sept.

Grant to John Edwardis, yeoman of the king's guard ("in consideration of the true and faithfull service that "oure welbeloved servant hathe done unto us, aswele "in Bretaigne and Fraunce as in this our roialme of "Englond"), of the offices of bailiff of Beaudeley, during pleasure, and of keeper of the place and park of the same and the park called Yernwode, co. Shropshire, for life. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 194. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Gawen (in consideration of faithful service "doone unto us in this oure moost "victorius journey and trihumphe"), of the offices of constable of the castle of Helmsley and bailiff of the same. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 195. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17). 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Everard Dygby, of the offices of steward of the lordship of Okeham and bailiff of the lordships of Uppingham and Essenden, co. Rutland; 25 Sept.

1485. also grant, for life, of the office of ranger of the forest of Lyfeld, co. Rutland, with wages, &c. such as Robert Rokley enjoyed with the same. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 196. 1 Hen. VII

25 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Geffray Rede (in consideration of true and faithful service, "as well in the "parties beyond the see as within this oure royaume "of England"), of the office of bailiff of the water of Wignale Brigge, co. Norfolk. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 197. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14).

25 Sept. Grant to Sir Robert Pointz, knt., of the offices of steward of Barton Hundred, with the great court beside the town of Bristol, and of steward of Sodbury and master of the game there, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of George, duke of Clarence; also of the offices of steward of Thornbury and master of the game within the parks and lordships within the county of Gloucester, during pleasure. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 198.

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Robert Pointz, knt., of the office of constable of the forest of Dean. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 199. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6).

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to Henry Walker, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day as his fee of the Crown. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 200.

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Mynde, of the office of launderer of the forest of Galtrasse, co. York. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 201. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24).

25 Sept. Pro Diego de Castro et aliis—de licentiis. Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos,—considerantes qualiter Diego de Castro Fernandus de Caryon' et Petrus de Miranda, mercatores de Ispannia, ad præsens residentes infra civitatem nostram Londoniæ, quandam navem vocatam Seinte Marie de Bilbawe, portagii quaterviginti doliorum, cum diversis bonis et mercandisis in portu nostro Londoniæ nuperrime carcarunt et eskipparunt, ac eandem navem usque portum Burdegaliæ traduxerunt, jamque iidem mercatores dictam navem vinis bonis et mercandisis

1 Hen. VII. inibi recarcatam usque prædictum portum nostrum Londoniæ reducere intendunt, et licet treugæ ac guerrarum abstinentiæ inter nobiles progenitores nostros quondam reges Angliæ, ex una, dudumque reges partium Ispanniæ, parte ex altera, abolim quam nobilissime, pro se hæredibus et successoribus utriusque regum præfatorum, initæ et captæ, nondum expirarunt, ipsi tamen mercatores regnum nostrum prædictum cum navi vinis bonis et mercandisis prædictis absque licentia nostra speciali intrare aut arripere ausi non sunt, prout ex eorum insinuatione intelleximus,—de gratia nostra speciali concessimus et licentiam dedimus eisdem Diego Fernando et Petro quod ipsi, per se factores sive attornatos suos, dictam navem vinis bonis et mercandisis prædictis, ut præfertur, carcatam, in regnum nostrum Angliæ in prædictum portum nostrum Londoniæ hac vice tantum adducere et cariare valeant, licite et impune, absque impedimento impetitione molestatione calumpnia seu gravamine nostri aut officiariorum seu ministrorum nostrorum quorumcumque; aliquo statuto actu ordinatione proclamatione restrictione seu mandato ante hæc tempora in contrarium facto non obstante. Proviso semper quod nobis de custumis subsidiis et aliis denariis, nobis pro vinis bonis et mercandisis prædictis debitis, fideliter respondeatur, ut est justum. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium vicesimo-quinto die Septembris. Per ipsum regem. 1485.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos,—considerantes qualiter Diego de Castro Fernandus de Caryon' et Petrus de Miranda, mercatores de Ispannia, residentes infra civitatem nostram Londoniæ, quandam navem vocatam Seint James de Bilbawe, portagii centum et quadraginta doliorum, etc., ut supra. In cujus, etc. Teste ut supra. Per ipsum regem.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos,—considerantes qualiter Diego de Castro Fernandus de Caryon' et Petrus de Miranda, mercatores de Ispannia,

1485. residentes infra civitatem nostram Londoniæ, quandam navem vocatam Seint Marie de Summaya, portagii centum et quinquaginta doliorum, etc., ut supra. In cujus, etc. Teste ut supra. Per ipsum regem. 1 Hen. VII.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos,—considerantes qualiter Diego de Castro Fernandus de Caryon' et Petrus de Miranda, mercatores de Ispannia. residentes infra civitatem nostram Londoniæ, quandam navem vocatam Seint Marie de Sancto Sebastiano, portagii quaterviginti doliorum, etc., ut supra. In cujus, etc. Teste ut supra. Per ipsum regem.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos,—considerantes qualiter Diego de Castro Fernandus de Carion' et Petrus de Miranda, mercatores de Ispannia, ad præsens residentes infra civitatem nostram Londoniæ, quandam navem vocatam Seint Marie de Fonterabia, portagii ducentorum doliorum, etc., ut supra. In cujus, etc. Teste ut supra. Per ipsum regem. French roll. m. 3 (13).

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to Humfrey Stanley, knt., of the offices of steward of the town of Walsall, co. Staff., and parker of the park of Walsall. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 202.

25 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to William Okeley (in consideracioun of the goode and true service that oure humble soubget hathe doon unto us, as well in the parties beyond the see as at this oure victorious journey), of the office of bailiff of Dovercourte and Harwiche, co. Essex. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 203. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27).

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to James of Whalley, of the office of parker of the new park of Wakefeld, co. York, with the keeping of the outwoods there. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 204. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1).

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Spicer (for service beyond the sea and within this realm), of the office of porter of the castle of Hertford, and a place with land and mede in Elberton, co. Devon. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 205. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to John Shorter, of the office of landerer (landarius) of the park of Claryngdon, co. Wilts., with wages, &c. such as John Cosin was allowed in the accompt of Ralph Cheyne, sheriff, co. Wilts., 51 Edw. III., and Walter Worth in the accompt of John Moyne, sheriff, co. Wilts., 18 Ric. II., then holders of the same office. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 206. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4). 1485. 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Pault (in consideracioun of the good and trewe service that our welbeloved servaunt William Pault hath, as well beyonde the see as at our victorious journey for the recoveraunce of this our reaume of England doone unto us, and duryng his lif entendeth to do), of the office of gauger of the city of London. P. S. 15 Sept. No. 207. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Turbervill, knt. (for good and faithful service done at his great costs and charges), of the offices of constable and keeper of the castle of Corffe, co. Dorset., and porter of the same castle; also of the offices of two foresters of the warren of Purbek and of ranger of the said warren. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 208. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23). 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Reginald Bray, esq., of the offices of master of the game and keeper of the parks of Gulde ford and Henley, co. Surrey, with the herbage and pannage of the said parks, without accompt. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 209. 25 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Jevan Lloid Vaghan ("in "consideracion of the true and feithfulle service to us "late doone in our late tryumphe and victory"), of the office of constable "of our castelle of Nethe and "Abraven within the lordshipe of Glamorgan." P. S. 20 Sept. No. 210. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34). 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Tylar, knt., of the office of controller of works, within the realm of England, with all wages, fees, &c. (for himself and a clerk under him) to such office pertaining, out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Gloucester and Worcester, a livery 25 Sept.

1485. yearly at the wardrobe, &c. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 211. 1 Hen. VII. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21).

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to Rauf Whalley, of the office of parker of the old park of Wakefeld, co. York. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 212. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1).

25 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Bawdewyn, of the office of one of the four foresters of the forest of Galtrasse, co. York, with wages of 4*d.* a day out of the county of York. 20 Sept. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (14).

25 Sept. [1] Grant, for life, to Andrew Harys, of the office of keeper of the goal of the castle of Worcester and constable of the same castle. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 213. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13).

25 Sept. Licence to Diego de Castro, Farnand de Caryon' and Peter de Miranda, merchants of Spain, residing in the city of London, for five ships belonging to them, laden with wines and merchandise, to make the home journey from the river of "Gerond before Burdeux" to the port of London in safety. The ships are thus described:—"A ship of Fontraby, called Saint Mary, of "the portage of cc. tonnes, wherof is maister, undir "God, Martyn Sanchies; ii. shippes of Bilbawe, that "oone of them, called Saint James, of the portage of "cxl. tonnes, whereof is maister, undir God, Petir de "Geldo, and that other of them, called Saint Mary, of "the portage of lxxx. tonnes, whereof is maister, undir "God, John de Bessy; another ship of Summaya, called "Saint Mary, of the portage of cl. tonnes, whereof is "maister, undir God, Andrew Peres de Yndaneta; and "another ship of Saint Sebastians, called Saint Mary, "of the portage of lxxx. tonnes, whereof is maister

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[1] See another Privy Seal dated on the same day, and delivered 8 Dec., in which, with the above office, lands, &c. in Deggley are granted. The lands in question were originally inserted in this Privy Seal, but afterwards struck out. There are two enrolments corresponding with the two Privy Seals.

1 Hen. VII. " undir God, Martyn Dalvistir. The hoole portage of " whiche forsaide v. shippis drawith unto vi^{c}l. tonnes." 1485.

Grant, for life, to Antony Browne, esq., of the offices of steward of the lordship of Wittley and Wrabston, and keeper of the park there, co. Surrey. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 214. 25 Sept.

Commission to Richard Fitzhugh, Ralph Graystok de Graystok, Thomas Scrope de Upsale, Henry Clifford de Clifford, George Lumley de Lumley, Hugh Hastinges, John Conyers, John Savyle, Edmund Hastings, Robert Ryther, Henry Percy, Thomas Grey, Christopher Moresby, and Ralphe Bowes, knts., and Richard Musgrave, and the sheriff of Yorkshire, to array and hold in array the men of that county, in readiness for an anticipated invasion of the Scots; the said Richard Fitzhugh to receive the oath of allegiance of his said associates, who thereupon are to receive the oaths of allegiance of the knights, esquires, and commonalty of the same county; George de Straunges, warden, hac vice, of the marches towards Scotland, is, with a large force, to be sent to their assistance, if necessary. 25 Sept.

Concurrent commissions, as follow :—

Northumberland. The same.

Notts. The same, with the sheriff of Notts.

Westmorland. The same, with the sheriff of Westmorland.

Cumberland. The same, with the sheriff of Cumberland. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 d (17d).

Grant, for life, to John Cheverell, esq., of the office of steward of the manors or lordships of Rammesham, Childefrome, Wraxball, Maperton, Puntenoll, Kencombe, Toller, and Hasilbere, co. Dorset, and of keeper of the park of Rammesham. P. S. 17 Sept. No. 215. 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Michell (" in consideration " of the true and diligent service done, as well unto us " as unto oure most derrest moder by oure faythfulle " lyegeman "), of the office of keeper of the park of Bagshote. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 216. 26 Sept.

1485. 26 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir John Turbervile, knt., of the offices of coroner and marshall of the king's household. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 217. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23). 1 Hen. VII.

26 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Grenewode, otherwise called Rougecroix, one of the king's poursuivants (for services, "aswele beyonde the see as within this "oure reaume of England"), of the office of bailiff of Richemondshire, co. Norfolk. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 218. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27).

26 Sept. [1] Grant, to William Grene, of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Wildgolet, during pleasure, and of keeper of the park there, co. Essex, for life. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 219. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

26 Sept. Grant, for life, to Giles Southam, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Thriske, co. York. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 220. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13). (26 Dec. on Pat. Roll.)

26 Sept. Grant, for life, to William Walton, of the office of one of the four foresters of the overward of the forest of Ingilwode, co. Cumberland. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 221. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

26 Sept. Grant, to William Griffith, esq., of the office of chamberlain of North Wales, with fees payable at the exchequer at Carnarvon, out of the revenues of the principality of North Wales. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

26 Sept. Grant to Richard Fitzwilliam of the office of receiver of the king's rents, &c. of the lordships of Wakefeld, Conysbourgh, and Haytfeld, co. York. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13).

26 Sept. Grant to Henry Carre, yeoman of the guard (in consideration of good and true service, as well beyond the sea as within the realm of England), of the offices of bailiff of the town of Dancastre, during pleasure, and keeper of the park of Fyppen, co. York, for life. 20 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

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[1] Enrolled again under date 27 Sept., vide Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Brereton, of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Astone Clynton and keeper of the woods of Bukland, co. Bucks. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 222. 1485. 26 Sept.

General pardon to Thomas Lyneham, alias Lynom, alias Laynham, of London, gentleman. P. S. 18 Sept. No. 223. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 26 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Bulkeley, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the city of London and county of Middlesex. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 224. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27). 26 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Hurd, one of the grooms of the king's chamber, of the office of bailiff of Ilston, and the keeping of the park there. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 225. 26 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Devereux, esq., of the office of captain of the castle and town of Abbristwith, co. Cardigan, with wages, &c., payable by the chamberlain of South Wales, such as Walter Devereux, late Lord Ferers, had. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 226. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9). 26 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Assheford, of the custody of the manor of Dytton and of the park there. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 227. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2). 26 Sept.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Busshe, of the office of bailiff of the town of Eston within the county of Northampton, there called Dalesbury lands, with the knight's fees, liberties, customs, commodities, and profits thereunto belonging. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 228. 26 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Skydmore, of the office of weigher in the parish of St. John's within the town of Southampton during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Elizabeth, late duchess of Clarence, with wages, &c. such as Richard Aylesby enjoyed in the same office. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 229. Pat. p. 1. m. 26 (11). 26 Sept.

1485. 26 Sept. Grant to John Cheyne, knt., and John Kymer, of the custody of the toll and petty custom of Poole, co. Dorset, and of the warren of coneys or pasture of Upton, co. Dorset, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 14*l.* 5*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 20*d.* Orig. m. 21. 1 Hen. VII.

27 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Stapull, of the office of bailiff of the town of Walsall, co. Staff. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 230. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

27 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Wode, one of the king's guard, of the office of custumer of the bridge of Stanys, over and under the same, co. Midd. P. S 23 Sept. No. 231. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18).

27 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to Ralph Wodward, of the office of purveyor of all stonecutters, plumbers, and other workmen and labourers, and of all manner of stuffs for the works within the palace of Westminster and tower of London, with such wages, &c. as John Brinkete had in the same office out of the fee-farm of the town of Portesmouth. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 232. Pat. p. 1. m. 25 (12).

27 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to William Cheseman, one of the king's guard, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Lewes, co. Sussex. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 233. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15).

28 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Walter Hungerford, knt., of the offices of steward of the lordship of Cosham, co. Wilts, keeper of the parks there (which he hath heretofore had and occupied), and keeper of the park of Everley, co. Wilts. P. S. 12 Sept. No. 234. Pat. p. 2. m. 15 (11).

28 Sept. Grant, during pleasure, to William Chetwyn, of Ingstie, co. Staff., esq., of the office of parker or keeper of le Lytyll Park and de la More Park, called Stafford Parks; also grant of two watermills in Stafford during

1 Hen. VII. the minority of Edward, son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham, rendering 16*l.* a year for the farm of the said mills. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 235. 1485.

Grant, for life, to Benedict Frutze, physician, of the office of one of the king's physicians, with a salary of 40*l.* a year; also grant, for life, of the keepership of the place called le Prince Warderobe. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 236. ? Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12). (28 Dec.) 28 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Robert Spaldyng, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages, &c. (from the 14th of September last, since which day he has held the post) such as he had in the said office temp. Edw. IV., a livery at Christmas, &c. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 237. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19). 28 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Oliver Langton, priest of the chantry or free chapel within the manor of Eltham, co. Kent. P.S. 22 Sept. No. 238. 28 Sept.

Grant, in survivorship, to Nicholas Gaynesford, esq., and John Gaynesford, esq., of the offices of steward of the lordship or manor, constable, and porter of the castle, and keeper of the park and warren of Odiam, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the said manor or county of Southampton. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 239. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20). 28 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Harpere, yeoman harbinger of the king's household ("in consideracioun of the true "and faithfull service that oure true servaunt hathe done "in Britayne and Fraunce during two yeres and in this "oure noble reaulme at oure victorious felde in sub-"duyng oure ennemyes"), of the office of serjeant of the mace of "oure noble parliament hous," with wages of 12*d.* a day. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 240. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9). 28 Sept.

Grant to George Ratclyf of the offices of tronator and weigher of the tronage and pesage in the port of Kyngeston upon Hull. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 29 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Henry Anger, esq., of the office of bailiff of the town of Wynchelse. P. S. 14 Sept. No. 241. 29 Sept.

1485. 29 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Bourgh, esq., of the office of steward of the forest of Galtras, co. York. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 242. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 1 Hen.VII.

29 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Forde, of the office of keeper of the park of Donyate, co. Somerset. P. S. 27 Sept. No. 243.

29 Sept. Presentation of Owen Pole, D.D., to the parish church of Myvod, St. Asaph's dioc., void by the death of the last incumbent: presentation by the Crown in full right. Direction to the Bp. of St. Asaph for his institution therein, &c. P. S. 27 Sept. No. 244. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13).

29 Sept. Presentation of Master John Coweley, chaplain, to the parish church of Queynton Malet, Lincoln dioc., void by the death of John Spense, the last incumbent: presentation by the Crown in full right. P. S 28 Sept. No. 245.

29 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Guldeford, knt. of the offices of master of the ordnance and master of the armoury; also grant, for life, of all the houses, with the curtilages and gardens pertaining unto the same, lying and being upon the wharf of the Tower of London, without the same Tower, which Thomas Grey late held and occupied. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 246. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

29 Sept. Grant, for life, to Richard Guldeford, knt., of the office of one of the chamberlains of the receipt of the Exchequer, lately held by William Hastinges, knt., deceased, with the appointment of one usher of the said receipt and all inferior officers pertaining to the same chamberlainship. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 247. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16).

29 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Abbot, of the office of keeper of the park of Cory Malet, co. Somerset. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 248.

29 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Guldeford, knt., of the office of keeper of the manor of Kenyngton, co. Surr. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 249. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to John Mason (for true and faithful service "doone unto us at oure victorious feld"), of the office of keeper of the "hawes" and wharfs of the towns of Waltone and Waybrygge, co. Surrey. P. S. 28 Sept. No. 250. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9). 1485. 30 Sept.

Grant to Richard Coke of the offices of bailiff of Chesturford, during pleasure, and of keeper of the park of Chesturford, for life. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 251. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 1 Oct.

Grant, in survivorship, to John Heyron and John Fogge, esq. ("the king with certain knowledge bearing "in mind the praiseworthy and gratuitous services done "by them in times past, as also their losses and the "dangers to their persons which they have in many "ways undergone by reason of such services"), of the office of keeper of the writs and rolls of the Common Pleas. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 252. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18). 1 Oct. 1 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Broke (for true and faithful service "done of tyme passed, aswele beyonde "the see as on this side"), of the office of bailiff of the town of Dovoir. P. S. 28 Sept. No. 253. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

Grant, for life, to John Pend, of the office of master viner or keeper of the vine at Windsor Castle, with wages of 6*d.* a day, as enjoyed by Adam Goodale temp. Edw. IV., and John Bremond temp. Edw. III. and Ric. II.[1] Pat. p. 2. m. 23 (3). 1 Oct.

Presentation of William Poller, priest, to the parish church of St. Michael of Framlyngham, Norwich dioc., void by the death of Robert Oswester, last parson of the same: in the gift of the Crown through the forfeiture of all the possessions of John, late duke of Norfolk, who 1 Oct.

[1] There is another Privy Seal for this grant, dated 20 Sept., and delivered 25 Sept. It runs thus:—Grant, for life, to John Pende ("in "consideracioun of good and true "service doone unto us, aswele "beyonde the see as within this "oure realme"), of the office of "keping of oure grete gardyne in "Wyndesore."

1485. lately employed all his strength in hostile fashion against the king. P. S. 30 Sept. No. 254. 1 Hen. VII.

1 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to Christopher Pate, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Wasshingburgh, co. Linc. P. S. 29 Sept. No. 255. Pat. p. 1. m. 28 (9).

1 Oct. Ratification to Robert Blakewall, chaplain, of his possession of the free chapel of St. Mary of Crokehorne, Bath and Wells dioc. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

1 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Ley, of the office of keeper of the gaol called Newgate within the town of Bristowe. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 256. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

2 Oct. Grant to John Halywell, knt. (for services in parts beyond the sea and in the realm of England), of the offices of keeper of the park and warren of Stokenham, co. Devon, the entire fishery and ponds called le Lay belonging to the same manor, together with the free fishery in the same at the will of the said John; also the offices of steward and surveyor of the manors of Stokenham and Yalmeton, co. Devon, all in the hands of the Crown (firstly of Edw. IV. and now of Hen. VII.) through the forfeiture of George, duke of Clarence, and the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick; also grant, for life, of the offices of steward and surveyor of the manors of Slapton, Tore, Brian, and Northam, co. Devon. P. S. 24 Sept. No. 257. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2).

2 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Grene, esq., of the offices of constable of the castle of Moreend, co. Northampton, and keeper of the park there, with wages, &c. such as "William Catisby, esq., oure rebelle, decessed, late had "and enjoyed in the same." P. S. 21 Sept. No. 258. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17).

2 Oct. Grant, for life, to Philip Blount, of the office of porter of the castle of Cardeef, in Wales. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 259. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24).

2 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Brown, of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Brayles and keeper of the warren there, co. Warwick. P. S. 29 Sept. No. 260. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Master Christopher Ursewik, the king's almoner, of the mastership of the hall in the university of Cambridge, called the King's Hall. S. B. No. 49. 1485. 2 Oct.

Grant to William Barbour, serjeant of the king's ewer ("eure"), of the offices of bailiff of Reigate, co. Surrey, during pleasure, and keeper of the park of Benbusshe, co. Sussex, for life. S. B. No. 50. 2 Oct.

Grant to Rauf Vernon (in consideration of the true and faithful service which he hath done "at oure vic- "torious journey to his grette costes and charge") of the office of steward and bailiff of Hoton Paynell, co. York; the stewardship for life, the office of bailiff during pleasure. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 261. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16). 2 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Stephen John, yeoman of the king's guard, of the office of keeper of the gaol of the town of Dorchester, co. Dorset. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 262. 2 Oct.

Grant to Thomas Kyngman, one of the yeomen of the king's guard (for true and faithful service, as well beyond the sea as in this realm of England), of the offices of bailiff of the town of Somerton, during pleasure, and of gaoler of the town of Ilchestre, co. Somerset, for life. P. S. 27 Sept. No. 263. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 2 Oct.

Grant, for life, to George Kene, of the office of keeper of the manor and park of Grenewiche and of the (royal) gardens there, with wages, &c. out of the subsidies and customs of the city of London. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 264. 2 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Master William Smyth of the canonry or prebend within the college of St. Stephen's, in the palace of Westminster. P. S. 29 Sept. No. 265. 2 Oct.

General pardon to William Biller, notary. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 3 Oct.

Commission to John Hoode to provide capons and other fowl for the king's household till 3 April next. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 3 Oct.

Commission to Robert Colman to provide corn and all other things necessary for the bakehouse of the king's household till 3 May next. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 3 Oct.

1485. 3 Oct. Commission to John Slocoke to provide beef, mutton, &c. for the king's household till 3 May next. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 1 Hen.VII.

3 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Tothoth, the elder, esq., and Thomas Tothoth, the younger, jointly and severally, of the office of receiver of all the castles, manors, lordships, &c. called Richemond fee, co. Linc., and of the castle and lordship of Somerton, co. Linc. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 266. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

3 Oct. Grant, for life, to James Ederige, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of keeper of the park called the New Park of Eltham, co. Kent. S. B. No. 51.

3 Oct. By the king.

Reverend fadre in God, righte trusti and welbiloved, we grete you wele, and wol and charge you that undre oure privee seal, being in your keping, ye doo make our letteres open in fourme following:—Henry, by the grace of God, &c., to the receyvours, bailiffes, or fermours of our lordshipps of Barnard Castel, Cotingham, Hothom, and the lands that late were the Lord Latymer, Shirifhotone, Bawtrye, Carltone in Crane in our countie of York, of Castur and Northwithom in our countie of Lincoln, greting. We wol ye wite that of the revenues of our said lordships and landes growen due at Estre and Michaelmas last passed we have appointed our trusty and welbiloved John Dawney, squier, to have ful payment by your handes and deliverance of the somme of 275*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; that is to say, of Barnard Castell, 40*l.*; of Cotyngham, 50*l.*; of Hothom, 9*l.*; of the said lands that late were the Lord Latimer, 70*l.*; of Shirifhoton, 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; of Bawtrye, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; of Carltone, 14*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; of Castur and Northwithom, 20*l.*; which sommes we perfaitly undrestande he yit oweth to diverses personnes creditours of the houshold late holden at Sandhall and Shirifhoton, whereupon we wol and charge you and every of you, as it shal appertaigne, to paye and contente to the said John Dawney the said somme

1 Hen. VII. of 275*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* in maner and fourme aforespecified, to thentent that he may satisfie the said creditours according to our pleasure and appointement in that behalve. And these our lettres, with thaquittances of the said John, shalbe your suffisant warrant and discharge anempst us in that behalve. Yeven, &c. And these oure lettres shalbe your warrant. Yeven undre our signet at our manoir of Gilford, the third day of October, the furst yere of our reigne. 1485.

(Indorsed.)

To the reverend fadre in God, our righte trusty and welbiloved the bisshope of Excestre, kepere of our prive seal.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Leche, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Langton, co. York. S. B. No. 52. 3 Oct.

Grant, for life, to William Stoughton (in consideracioun of the long continued service he hath doone of tyme passed unto the noble prince of blessed memorie king Henry the Sext, oure uncle, in the which he hath dispended his youth, and for his sake suffred grete persecucions, troubles, and losses of goods, and in recompense of the same) to be one of the alms knights within the college of our Lady and St. George within the castle of Windesore. P. S. No. 267. Enrolled 14 Nov. Pat. p. 1. m. 2. (34). 3 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Hampnet Clegge, of the office of rider of the forest of Delamere, co. Chester. 3 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Master Stephen Frion, of the office of clerk of the signet and secretary for the French tongue to the king, with a salary of 40*l.* a year, from the 23rd August last, out of the issues, &c. of the manors of Midelton and Merden, co. Kent. P. S. 30 Sept. No. 268. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 3 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to Chemery Willesden, of the office of bailiff of the town of Fremyngton, co. Devon. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 269. Pat. p. 1. m. 24 (13). 3 Oct.

1485. 4 Oct. General pardon to Thomas Fowler, of Buckingham, esq., of London, of Braddon, co. Northt. P. S. 2 Oct. No. 270. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 1 Hen. VII.

4 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Colbrand, of the office of keeper of the parks of Helmsley. P. S. 2 Oct. No. 271.

4 Oct. Grant, for life, to Piers Carvanelle, one of the gentlemen ushers of the king's chamber, of all the houses belonging to the king within the palace of Westminster, with the keeping of paradise and hell within Westminster Hall, and three tenements which Jaques Fryes had and occupied; the keeping of purgatory within the said hall which Nicholas Whitfeld had and occupied, with Puttan's house under the Exchequer; the tower and the green lattice which John Catesby had and occupied; all which houses, tenements, and tower Anthony Kene, deceased, had of the king's gift and grant, and the same are now in the hands of the Crown by his decease; to be held without accompt, &c., &c. P. S. 29 Sept. No. 272.

4 Oct. Presentation of Master Thomas Bowde, the king's chaplain, to the parsonage of Garbisham, Norwich dioc., void by the death of Master Edmund Albon, last incumbent thereof: at the disposal of the Crown through the rebellion and forfeiture of John, late duke of Norfolk. P. S. 30 Sept. No. 273. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

4 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to John Rede, shipmaster of the office of bailiff of the honor of Bastable, co. Devon. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 274. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

4 Oct. Royal assent to the election made by the convent of St. Mary and St. Editha, of Wilton, Sarum dioc., of Mistress Cicilia Willoughby, a sister and nun of the house, to be abbess of the same convent, in the room of their late abbess, deceased. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 275. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

4 Oct. Commission to Thomas Barnard to provide salt and fresh water fish for the king's household till 4 April next.

The like to Walter Nele. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during pleasure, to John Almore, of the office of bailiff of Newebigging, co. Northumb. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 276. 1485. 4 Oct.

Grant, in survivorship, to Thomas Fisshe, serjeant of the pantry, and Richard Brampton, yeoman of the same, of the offices of keeper of the manor of Shene and the parks, gardens, and warrens there. P. S. 2 Oct. No. 277. 4 Oct.

Grant, for life, to George Porter, of the office of chief carpenter of the town and castle of Berwick, with 12*d.* a day as wages for himself, and 6*d.* a day for a man under him (out of the fee-farm of the city of Norwich); also 9*l.* as a reward for having performed the duties of the said office since Easter last; also grant, for life, of the fishery called "le Prise Fisshe" in the town of Newbigging, co. Northumb., he paying the farm and rent heretofore due and accustomed. P. S. 3 Oct. No. 278. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 4 Oct.

Ratification of Ralph Bull in his possession of the free chapel of St. Cross in Old Sarum Castle, Sarum dioc. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15). 4 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Robert Brent, of the offices of keeper of the castle of the town of Sandwich, co. Kent, and of verger of the same town, with wages of 1*d.* a day; also grant for life of the meadows called Castelmedes, adjoining the said castle; also grant, for life, of the office of reeve of the town of Middelton, co. Kent. P. S. Sept. 21. No. 279. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25). 4 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Gilbert, of the office of keeper of the park of Stowe, co. Somerset. P. S. 29 Sept. No. 280. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 4 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Hensley, of the office of keeper of the park of Combemartyn, co. Devon. P. S. 27 Sept. No. 281. Pat. p. 1. m. 23 (14). 4 Oct.

Grant to Charles Rippon of the offices of bailiff of the towns of Cokeham and Bray and of the seven hundreds there, during pleasure, and of steward of Assherugge and 5 Oct.

1485. keeper of the wear called "Horne Were of Windsore," co. Berks., and of steward of Cansham, co. Oxon, for life. P. S. 2 Oct. No. 282. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (1). 1 Hen. VII.

6 Oct. Grant to Thomas, Lord Stanley, the king's "righte "entierly beloved fader," of the manor of Ewlow, co. Flynt, and the manors of Frodesham and Saltersforde, co. Chester, to farm for 20 years, with all manner of profits, perquisites of courts, fishings, and other advantages, paying the same at the exchequer of Chester, as he did when formerly farmer thereof. S. B. No. 53.

6 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Dawney, of the offices of constable of the castle of Shirifhoton, co. York, and keeper of the park there. P. S. 4 Oct. No. 283. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

6 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Monkeley (in consideration of the good and true service whiche oure trusty and welbeloved servaunt John Monkeley hath doone unto us, as well over the see as in oure last victorious journey against oure rebelles and traitours), of the office of havener and collector of the king's custom in the county of Cornwall and in the port of Plymouth, co. Devon. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 284.

6 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to John Carre, yeoman of the guard (for services beyond the sea and on this side), of the office of bailiff of Alesbury, co. Bucks. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18).

6 Oct. Grant to Thomas, Lord Stanley, the king's "righte "entierly beloved fader," of the manor of Shotwyke, county palatine of Chester, with the fishing called the Flodeyardes belonging to the same, to farm for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 24*l.* to the exchequer of Chester. S. B. No. 54.

6 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to John Williams ("in consi- "deracion of the good and true service that oure welbe- "loved servant John Williams, grome for oure mouthe, "in oure seller, hath doon unto us hertofore, aswele in "the parties beyonde the see as within oure royaume"),

1 Hen. VII. of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Busshey, co. Hertf. S. B. No. 55. 1485.

Grant to Robert Jay, one of the yeoman of the guard, for services beyond the sea and on this side, of the offices of constable of the castle of Lagherne and forester of the forest of Lagherne, during life, and of bailiff of the lordship of Lagherne, during pleasure. P. S. 3 Oct. No. 285. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 6 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to Benedict Wever, of the office of water-bailiff in the port of Dertemouth, with all places and creeks to the same port adjoining. P. S. 3 Oct. No. 286. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 6 Oct.

Presentation of John Morgan, LL.D. (the king's chaplain) to the parish church of Hanslap, Lincoln dioc., void by death, and in the king's gift in full right. P. S. 3 Oct. No. 287. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 6 Oct.

Grant, for life, to the king's trusty and well-beloved esquire, Matthew Baker, of "the corrodie or susten- " tacioun within oure monastery of Kenelworthe, whiche " Thomas Warde, oure rebelle now dede, late had." P. S. 15 Sept. No. 288. 7 Oct.

Grant, for life, to the king's "right trustee and " entierly beloved fadre," Thomas, Lord Stanley, of the offices of master forester and steward of all the game northwards beyond Trent. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 289. Pat. p. 2 m. 21 (5). 7 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Grey, gentleman, of the office of rider of the forest of Dene, co. Glouc. P. S. 5 Oct. No. 290. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 7 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Stanley, Lord of Stanley (in consideration of the good and praiseworthy services performed by him before now with great personal exertions and costs, in many ways and on divers occasions, and now lately in the king's conflict within the realm of England, and which services he ceases not to continue), of the offices of steward of the lordship or manor of Sutton and master of the chace of Sutton, with 7 Oct.

1485. the keepership of the park there, cos. Warwick and Stafford, with the appointment of all inferior officers belonging to those offices. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 291. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17). 1 Hen. VII.

7 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Peke, esq., of the offices of one of the rangers within the forest of Dene, co. Glouc.; of steward of the manor of Chesthunt, co. Hertf.; of steward of the manor of Flampstede, co. Hertf.; and of steward of the manor of Northweld, co. Essex; which two last-mentioned manors are in the hands of the Crown owing to the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence. P. S. 5 Oct. No. 292. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27).

7 Oct. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Flynt, of the offices of comptroller, changer, and assayer of the money and coinage of gold and silver in the Tower of London, and in all places in England and Ireland, and the town of Calais; also of graver of the metals (ferrorum) to coin with. P. S. 3 Oct.[1] No. 293. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20).

7 Oct. Grant, for life, to Piers Wratton, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for his Crown fee, out of the fee-farm of the city of Norwich. P. S. 4 Oct. No. 294.

7 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Twynyho, esq., of the offices of steward of the lordship of Mere, co. Wilts., and of parker and keeper of the park there. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 295. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20).

7 Oct. Grant (in consideracioun of the good and diligent service that oure true and faithfull servaunt and chapelein, Maister Henry Wode, hath doone unto us and so hertely entendithe to doo hereafter) to Henry Wode, king's chaplain, of "the yerely pensioun whiche she that is newe "creat abbesse of oure monastery of Wiltone shalbe

[1] There is also a Privy Seal dated 19 Sept., and delivered 21 Sept., granting him, for life, the office of comptroller and graver of the Mint within the Tower of London: not enrolled.

1 Hen. VII. " bounde to yeve unto a clerc at oure nominacioun." 1485.
" P. S. 3 Oct. No. 296.

Grant to John Thomas, one of the yeomen of the guard, of the offices of steward of the lordship of Haye and Glynbough (with the making of all offices under him) and of constable of the castle of Haye, during life, and of receiver of the lordship of Haye and Glynbough, during pleasure. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 297. 7 Oct.

Grant to Nicholas Potelle of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Watelyngton, co. Oxon., during pleasure, and of keeper of the park there, with the woodwardship of Netelbede Woods for life. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 298. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 7 Oct.

Grant, during life, to Sir Richard Edgecombe, knt., of the office of steward of the earldoms of Sarum and Warwick within the counties of Devon and Cornwall. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 299. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 7 Oct.

Grant to James Hide, esq., of the custody as well of two water grist mills in the town of Caversham under one roof, as of a fulling mill there, with all the fisheries of the water to the same anciently belonging; also of a farm of demesne land there in the hands of the Crown through the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, son and heir of George, late duke of Clarence; to hold as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 17*l.* 20*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 20*d.*, and keeping the same in repair, &c. Orig. m. 24. 7 Oct.

Grant, for life, to William Bresingdon, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day and a livery from the great wardrobe yearly at Christmas. P. S. 6 Oct. No. 300. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15). 8 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Morgan, of the office of clerk of the Parliaments of the king and his heirs to be holden within the realm of England, with a fee of 40*l.* per annum out of the issues, &c. of the hanaper of the Court of Chancery. P. S. 7 Oct. No. 301. 9 Oct.

1485. 8 Oct. Grant, for life, to Henry Chircheman, of the office of parker of the park of Tolley, co. Leic.; also grant of the office of bowbearer of Leicester Frith. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 302. Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29). 1 Hen. VII.

8 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Morton, gentleman (in compensation for goods and friends lost in the king's just cause), of an annuity of 40 marks. S. B. No. 56. Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29).

8 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Moton, of the office of keeper of the gaol of Great Dean and Little Dean, otherwise called the Gaol beneath the Wood, co. Glouc. P. S. 30 Sept. No. 303. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

9 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Crofte, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Fawnope. P. S. 8 Oct. No. 304.

10 Oct. Grant, for life, to the king's full trusty chaplain, Master William Breton, of the office of keeper or master of the collegiate church or hospital of Saint Katerine besides the Towre of London. S. B. No. 57.

10 Oct. Grant to John Eglisshefeld, gent., of the offices of gaoler and porter of the castle of York, during life, and of bailiff of the lordships of Ryse and Roos, in Holdernesse, co. York, during pleasure. P. S. 1 Oct. No. 305. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22).

10 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Assheby, one of the clerks of the signet of the office of comptroller of the works within the castle of Windesore and other manors and lordships pertaining to the same castle. P. S. 23 Sept. No. 306.

10 Oct. Grant to Thomas Thoresby, Robert Braybroke, and William Cobbe of the custody of all lands, meadows, marshes, and feedings, as well within wood as without, within the lordship of Rising, co. Norfolk, and of the warren of conies there, which are parcel of the duchy of Cornwall, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 50*l.* Orig. m. 24.

1 Hen. VII. Grant (in consideration that Thomas, bishop of Salisbury, has, through his many rebellions against the king and his royal dignity, forfeited all the temporalities of his see, and the same are now in the king's hands), to the venerable father in Christ, Peter, bishop of Exeter, of the temporalities of the see of Salisbury, and the keeping of the person of the said bishop of Salisbury, to which the most reverend father and the king's most dear cousin, Thomas, cardinal archbishop of Canterbury, primate of all England and metropolitan of the province of Canterbury, has given his consent, so that all disposals of churches, canonries, and prebends belonging to the said bishop of Salisbury, in virtue of his church of Salisbury, shall be made and carried out by the counsel, assent, and advice of the said bishop of Exeter; to hold so long as the same shall remain in the hands of the Crown without rendering anything therefore. P. S. 6 Oct. No. 307. 1485. 11 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Richard Frere, of the corrody within the monastery of Tame which Richard Wylden, deceased, lately held. P. S. No. 308. 11 Oct.

Grant, for life, to the king's "most derrest moder, "Margaret, countesse of Richemond," of the nomination, deputation, and constitution of the steward, receiver, bailiff, parker, and all other officers within the lordship of Ware, co. Hertford, and that the same officers by her made and deputed have the wages, fees, profits, commodities, and "avayles" [advantages] to the said offices and every of them due and belonging. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 309. Pat. p. 4. m. 4 (21). 11 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Upex (for good and gratuitous services to the king and his most dear mother), of the office of bailiff of the franchise of the lordship of Donyngton, in Holand, co. Linc. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 310. 11 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Henry Wyot, of the office of gaoler of the castle and gaol of the city of Norwich. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 311. Pat. p. 3. m. 27 (1). 11 Oct.

1485. 11 Oct. Grant, for life, to David Philip, esq., of the offices of bailiff of Wittellesmere, and of keeper of the king's swans in Wittellesmere and in all the waters, &c. in the counties of Northampton, Lincoln, Huntingdon, and Cambridge, and of keeper of the woods in Glatton and Holme, co. Huntingdon. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 312. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16). 1 Hen. VII.

11 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Moton, of the office of receiver of the lordship of Burgevenny, in South Wales. P. S. 7 Oct. No. 313. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20).

11 Oct. Grant, for life, to David Phelip, esq., of the corrody within the monastery of Petirborough, now void by the death of Sir William Stok, knt. P. S. 7 Oct. No. 314.

11 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Atkyns, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, and a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas. P. S. 6 Oct. No. 315.

11 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Flygh, of the office of door-keeper of the Parliament house. P. S. 6 Oct. No. 316.

11 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Jaksone, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with 12*d.* a day wages, and a livery at Christmas from the king's wardrobe. P. S. 4 Oct. No. 317. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16).

11 Oct. Grant, for life, to Edward Vavasour, of the office of "prayser" (appraiser), of fish of Newbigging and Tynnemouthe, co. Northumb. P. S. 3 Oct. No. 318. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15).

11 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Bromehill, for services beyond the sea and on this side, of the house "called "the signe of the Walshemane, with thappurtenaunces "sette in Flete Strete, in the suburbes of oure citie "of Londone;" to hold in as ample wise as Walter Devereux, late Lord Ferrers, had and occupied the same. P. S. 3 Oct. No. 319. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28).

11 Oct. General pardon to Nicholas Wortley of Sheffeld, co. York, esq., &c. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20).

1 Hen. VII. [1] Grant to Robert Bowley of the custody of the toll and petty custom of Pole, co. Dorset, together with the hall called "Lordis Halle," and the warren of coneys or pasture of Upton, co. Dorset, from 23 Aug. last, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence, so long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, without accompt. Pat. p. 3. m. 22 (6). 1485. 11 Oct.

Grant to the king's beloved esquire, John Moton, for life, of the offices of steward of the lordship of Bergevenny and constable and porter of the castle there. P. S. 9 Oct. No. 320. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 11 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Giles Daubeney, knt., of the office of master of the king's hounds, called "herthoundes," with wages, fees, &c. such as Henry, late earl of Essex, had in the same office. P. S. 13 Sept. No. 321. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18). 12 Oct.

Writ to the sheriff of Surrey and Sussex, directing him to publish a proclamation announcing the conclusion of a truce with Charles of France, to continue from 1 Oct. to the last day of Sept. next. Pat. p. 2. m. 11. d. (15 d). 12 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Giles Daubeney, knt., of the custody of the forests of Kyngeswode and Fillewode, cos. Glouc. and Somers. P. S. 13 Sept. No. 322. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1). 12 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Giles Daubeney, knt., of the office of constable of the castle of the town of Bristol, with power to appoint under him a porter to keep the gate of the said castle, and two watchmen to keep watch in the said castle by day and by night; taking 20*l.* a year for himself, 2*d.* a day for the said porter, and 3*d.* a day and ½*d.* a night for the said two watchmen, to be paid 12 Oct.

[1] A Privy Seal dated 4 Oct., and delivered 11 Oct., grants a portion of this custody for life. There is only one enrolment, as above.

1485. out of the fee-farm and other issues of the town of Bristol. P. S. 13 Sept. No. 323. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 1 Hen. VII.

12 Oct. Congé d'elire to the prior and convent of the monastery of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Oseneye to elect an abbot in the room of Richard Leycetour, their late abbot, deceased. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

12 Oct. Grant, for life, to the king's trusty and well-beloved councillor, Thomas Lovell, esq., of the office of chancellor of the Exchequer, in as ample a manner as Sir Thomas Thwaytes, knt., held the same. P. S. 8 Oct. No. 824. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18).

12 Oct. Grant, for life (in consideration of good and gratuitous service in foreign parts, and in the kingdom of England), to the king's beloved knight, John Haleweylle, of the office of steward of the county of Cornwall, otherwise called the office of steward of the duchy of Cornwall. P. S. 9 Oct. No. 325. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33).

12 Oct. Grant to Brian Roucliff, secondary baron of the Exchequer, of the custody of the manor of Forset, co. York, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 76*s.* 6*d.*, and keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 13.

13 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Coope, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown. 10 Oct.

13 Oct. Presentation (by way of charity) of the king's trusty chaplain, John London, to the parsonage of Pitworth, Chichester dioc., void by the death of Master William Baker, last incumbent thereof, and in the presentation of the Crown of right. P. S. 10 Oct. No. 326. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20).

13 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Monka, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day. P. S. 10 Oct. No. 327. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20).

13 Oct. Appointment of John Vavasoure, serjeant-at-law, to be one of the king's serjeants-at-law, during pleasure. S. B. No. 58. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20).

1 Hen. VII. Appointment of Richard Nele, knt., to be one of the justices of the Common Pleas, during pleasure. S. B. No. 59. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 1485. 13 Oct.

Grant to Thomas Philip of the offices of bailiff of the lordships, manors, lands, and tenements of Moreyende and Estpyre, co. Northampton, during pleasure, and of keeper of the park of Estpyre, for life. P. S. 10 Oct. No. 328. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19). 13 Oct.

Writ of diem clausit extremum addressed to the escheator of Northampton, as to the possessions, next heir, &c. of Antony Wodevile, late earl of Rivers, deceased, who held of Edw. V., late king of England, in capite. Similar writs to the escheators of Midd., Kent, Essex, Beds., and Bucks. Orig. m. 17. 13 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Elel, of the office of bailiff of Peverell fee, co. Northampton. P. S. 13 Oct. No. 329. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25). 14 Oct.

Presentation to the king's well-beloved chaplain, Master Henry Wode, of the parsonage of Kegworth, Lincoln dioc., void by the death of Hugh Myrydeth, last incumbent thereof, and in the presentation of the Crown "by reasone of the rebellyone and forfaiture of "oure rebelle and traitoure the late duc of Norffolk." P. S. 13 Oct. No. 330. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17). 14 Oct.

Grant, for life, to James Harington, esq., of the office of steward of the lordship of Multon, co. Northampton, with the keeping of the park and warren there. P. S. 13 Oct. No. 331. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25). 14 Oct.

Royal assent to the election made by the prior and convent of the monastery of St. Mary de Pratis, Leicester, of Gilbert Manchestre, to be their abbot *vice* John Shepeshede, their last abbot, deceased. P. S. No. 332. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19). 14 Oct.

Grant to Thomas Swane of the offices of constable and porter of the castle of Somerton, in Keston, co. Linc., for life, and of bailiff of the lordship there, during pleasure. P. S. 7 Oct. No. 333. 14 Oct.

1485. 14 Oct. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay and deliver to the king's trusty servant "Wyndesore, our herault," 20*l.* sterling in ready money incontinent upon the sight hereof, which the king has appointed him to have by way of reward for certain special considerations, without prest or other charge. P. S. No. 334. 1 Hen. VII.

14 Oct. Grant to Richard Colstun of the office of warrener of Spellesbury, co. Oxford, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 335. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26).

14 Oct. Grant to George Longvile, esq., of the custody of a rent due to the wardship of the castle of Northampton at Easter from the fee of Chokes, in the counties of Northampton, Beds., Bucks., Linc., and Leic., viz. from each fee 10*s.*; also of the prisage in the town of Northampton belonging to the constableship of the said castle from the custom and herbage within the said castle and without in the ditches of the said castle, of a certain meadow to the same castle belonging, and of a fishery to the said castle belonging, for seven years at a yearly rent of 11*l.*; also grant of the custody of the honors of Peverell, Bonon, and Hagenot, with their members, &c., in the counties of Bucks., Northampton, and Leic.; also of the castle of the honor of Huntyngdon, with its members, &c., in the counties of Hunts., Cambridge, Beds., Bucks, and Northampton, late belonging to John Hastyngis, late earl of Pembroke, with the courts leet, rents, views of frankpledge, liberties, &c. to the same honors belonging, for seven years at a yearly rent of 110*s.* Orig. m. 21.

15 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to John Aleyn, of the office of bailiff of Upton upon Sevarne, co. Glouc. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 336. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

15 Oct. Grant to Thomas Sondes of the offices of bailiff of Chesthunt and Waltham Crosse, and parker of the park of Chesthunt, alias Brayntyngeshey, co. Hertf., and bailiff

1 Hen. VII. of Claverynge, co. Essex; the offices of bailiff to be held during pleasure, and the parkership for life, with wages, &c. such as John Chapman and John Luthington had in the same offices; also grant for life of the habitation and easement of the houses and chambers in the manor of Chesthunt, with the profits of lez mores and the garden there. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 337. Pat. p. 1. m. 18 (18). 1485.

Presentation of John Huntyngdon, clk., to the parish of Blymhill, Coventry and Lichfield dioc., *vice* Thomas Swynerton, deceased, in the king's gift through the minority of Henry, son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham. Pat. p. 1. m. 20 (17). 15 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Welles, knt., Lord Welles, of the offices of constable of the castle, steward of the castle, lordship, and manor, and master of the game of the forest of Rokingham, co. Northampton, and of all parks in the same forest, and of all parks in the county of Lincoln; of steward of Richemond fee, co. Linc.; of steward of the lordship and manor of Holdernesse, co. York, and of the survey and governing of the king's lieges and subjects there, late belonging to Henry, duke of Buckingham, and in the hands of the Crown owing to the minority of Edward, his son and heir, to hold during such minority and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. A clause for continuing the stewardship until an heir shall have attained majority, in the event of the present heir dying a minor; without accompt. P. S. 10 Oct. No. 338. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21). 15 Oct.

[1] Grant, for life, to Robert Hardyng, of the office of usher and cryer in the King's Bench. Pat. p. 1. m. 16 (20). 15 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Richard Eggecombe, knt., comptroller of the king's household, of the office of steward 15 Oct.

[1] By a former Patent, dated 8 Oct. (Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15), the office of crier only was granted to him.

1485. of the lordship of Busshey, co. Hertf. P. S. 6 Oct. 1 Hen. VII. No. 339. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27).

15 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Willoughby, knt., of the office of master of the king's dogs called harriers, with wages out of the issues of the counties of Bedford and Bucks, and with divers allowances for servants' wages, horses, and food for the dogs out of the profits arising from the ulnage of cloth in the counties of Somerset and Dorset; to hold the said office in the same way as John Wroth, esq., had the same. P. S. 10 Oct. No. 340. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18).

15 Oct. (1.) Petition of Thomas Prior and the convent of the monastery of St. Peter de Hyda, near Winchester, to the above effect. P. S. b.

(2.) Congé d'elire to the prior and convent of the monastery of St. Peter de Hyda, near Winchester, to elect an abbot *vice* John Colingbourne, their last abbot, deceased. P. S. 14 Oct. No. 341. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

15 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Frere, one of the yeomen of the king's guard, of the office of bailiff of the town and lordship of Moche Marlowe, co. Bucks. P. S. 26 Sept. No. 342. Pat. p. 1. m. 22 (15).

16 Oct. Grant, during pleasure, to William Madokes, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Solyhull, co. Warwick. P. S. 12 Oct. No. 343. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27).

16 Oct. Grant to Thomas Troys of the office of "peyser" (weigher) within the town and port of Southampton, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick.

16 Oct. Presentation of Thomas Waren, chaplain, to the parish church of Broughton, Lincoln dioc., void by the death of the last incumbent, and in the gift of the Crown. S. B. No. 60. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

16 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Treffry, of the office of surveyor of the customs and subsidies within the city of London, with wages, &c. such as William Weston had with the same office. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 344. Pat. p. 1. m. 21 (16).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during pleasure, to John Wydour, of the office of yeoman of the king's buckhounds, under the master of the same office. 22 Sept. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24). 1485. 16 Oct.

Congé d'elire to the monastery of Athelney, vice Robert Hylle, their late abbot, deceased. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19). 16 Oct.

Commission to John Nele, serjeant or purveyor of the king's kitchen, to provide beef, mutton, fish, &c. for the royal household until 16 April next. P. S. No. 345. 16 Oct.

Commission to Robert Gregory, yeoman purveyor of the avery of the king's household, to provide horse meat and litter for the royal stud. 16 Oct.

Concurrent commissions to the following persons:—John Bryan. Robert Hardyng. John Grene. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

Hæc indentura facta sextodecimo die Octobris, anno regni regis Henrici Septimi primo, testatur quod magister Robertus Morton, clericus, custos rotulorum cancellariæ ipsius domini regis, deliberavit Reginaldo Braye, subthesaurario Angliæ cancellario ducatus Lancastriæ, xvii. commissiones ad congregandum homines ad arma, videlicet in comitatibus subscriptis, Midd., Surr., et Sussex, Kanc, Somers., Dors., Devon., Cornub., Notyngh., Derb., Lincoln., Bed., Buk., Oxon., Berk., Rotel., Norht., Warr., Leyc., Staff., Salop., Hereford., et Wygorn. In cujus rei testimonium præsentibus, partes prædictæ manibus suis propriis alternatim apposuerunt die et anno supradictis. —Reynold Bray. 16 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Roger Acton, of the office of forester and keeper of the wood called the Hay Wode, co. Hereford, upon the following petition:— 17 Oct.

To the king oure souverain lorde.

Please it youre noble highnesse of your grete and aboundante grace, in consideracioun of the true and feithefulle service that youre humble subget Roger Acton hathe doon unto youre highenesse, nowe in youre victoryous felde and under youre standarde and there sore hurte, to gyfe and graunte unto hym the office

1485. of the fostershippe and keping of your wodde called the Hay Wode, within youre countie of Hereforde, to have and to holde the forseid office for terme of his lyfe, with wages and profitz of the same therof due and of olde tyme acustumed. And he shalle pray to God for the preservacyon of your moste noble persone and royalle astate. S. B. No. 61. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 1 Hen. VII.

17 Oct. Restitution of temporalities upon the election of Mistress Cecilia Willoughby as abbess of the monastery of St. Mary and St. Editha of Wilton, Sarum dioc., vice Alicia Comalande, late abbess thereof, the said election having received the royal assent, and confirmed by Thomas, bishop of Salisbury, and the fealty of the newly-elected abbess having been taken. P. S. 16 Oct. No. 346. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19).

Letter from Thomas, bishop of Salisbury, to the king, detailing the facts above mentioned, and asking the restitution above granted.

Writs in accordance with the above to the sheriffs of Southampton and Wilts, Somerset and Dorset, and Devon and Cornwall, dated 17 Oct.

Mandate also to the knights, freemen, and other tenants of the said abbey, dated 17 Oct.

17 Oct. Presentation of John Chaunterell, chaplain, to the parish of Waterneweton, co., Hants, Lincoln dioc. in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the abbey of Thorney being in the hands of the Crown. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

17 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Treffry (for service done at his great costs and expenses), of the offices of controller of the coinage of tin in the counties of Cornwall and Devon, and of keeper of the gaol of Lostwhithell, co. Cornwall. P. S. No. 347. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34).

17 Oct. Congé d'elire to the prior and convent of the monastery of Thorney (of the order of St. Benedict), Ely dioc., to elect an abbot *vice* John Morckote, their last

1 Hen. VII. abbot, deceased. P. S. 14 Oct. No. 348. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19). 1485.

Licence for one year to Robert Graunte, of the city of Westchestre, to import into England and elsewhere in the king's dominions 240 tuns of Gascon and other wines, in person or by factors purchasing the same, wherever he likes, bringing the same over in one or more ships of France, Spain, or Brittany, and making one or more journeys in so doing; all customs and duties thereupon to be paid. P. S. 6 Oct. No. 349. 18 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Wolton, esq., of the offices of escheator of the county palatine of Chester, and of king's attorney in the same county and county of Flynt. S. B. No. 62. 18 Oct.

Grant to Thomas Wolton, esq., of the custody of the possessions within the county palatine of Chester, late belonging to James Clive, late of Huxley, co. Chester, gentleman (who held of the king as earl of Chester on the day of his death by knight's service), in the hands of the Crown through the minority of Richard Clive, son and heir of the same James; also of the wardship and marriage of the said heir, without disparagement; to hold during such minority, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. Clause for continuing the custody until an heir shall attain majority, in the event of the present heir dying a minor. S. B. No. 63. 18 Oct.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay and deliver, upon the sight hereof, in ready money, to the king's trusty and welbeloved clerk, Master William Hylle, dean of the king's chapel, 15*l.* sterling, which sum the king has directed him to employ for the provision of certain ornaments and things requisite for the use of the said chapel, without prest or charge thereupon. S. B. No. 64. 18 Oct.

Grant to John Morgan of the deanery of the free chapel or collegiate church of the Virgin Mary, St. George the Martyr, and St. Edward the Confessor, in Windsor 18 Oct.

1485. Castle, *vice* John Davyson, deceased. Writ to the presi- 1 Hen. VII.
dent and chapter in pursuance of the above. Pat. p. 3. m. 22 (6).

18 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Mylis, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, and a livery yearly, at Christmas, from the great wardrobe. P. S. 15 Oct. No. 350.

19 Oct. Exemption to Robert Harding, citizen and alderman of London, from serving in any capacity or holding any office under the Crown against his will, and release from all penalties attaching to his refusing so to do. P. S. 20 Sept. No. 351.

19 Oct. Rex venerabili in Christo patri Petro Exoniensi episcopo ac carissimo avunculo suo Jaspari comiti Penbrochie, carissimis consanguiniis suis Johanni comiti Oxoniæ, Johanni comiti Notyngham', Thomæ Stanley domino de Stanley militi, Johanni domino de Fitzwauter senescallo hospitii nostri, Roberto Morton custodi rotulorum cancellariæ nostræ Angliæ, Thomæ Bryan militi capitali justiciario nostro de banco, Humfrido Starky militi capitali baroni de scaccario nostro, et Ricardo Croft militi thesaurario hospitii nostri, salutem. Sciatis quod nos, de industria et circumspectione vestris plenius confidentes, assignavimus vos ad omnia et singula, quæ ad officium senescalli Angliæ ad coronationem nostram pertinent, hac vice tantum facienda et exercenda. Et ideo vobis mandamus quod circa præmissa diligenter intendatis et ea faciatis et exequamini modo et forma debitis antiquitus usitatis: damus autem universis et singulis, quorum interest in hac parte tenore præsentium firmiter, in mandatis, quod vobis in executione officii prædicti intendentes sint auxiliantes consulentes et obedientes in omnibus prout decet. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium xix. die Octobris. Orig. m. 108.

20 Oct. Grant to John Crokker of the office of one of the esquires of the king's body, with an annuity of 50 marks as his fee for the same. S. B. No. 65.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Edmond Edy, one of the grooms of the king's chamber (for service, as well beyond the sea as within this realm), of the office of keeper of the park of Hillesdon, co. Derby, in the gift of the Crown by the rebellion of the Lord Zouche. P. S. 19 Oct. No. 352. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23). 1485. 20 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Hugh Anseley, of the office of keeper of the beds within the castle of Wyndesore, co. Berks, with wages for himself and a boy under him out of the issues, &c. of the lordships or manors of St. Margaret of Stretton and Middelton Brymmesfeld, co. Wilts. P. S. No. 353. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26). 20 Oct.

Memorandum quod vicesimo die Octobris anno subscripto ista billa deliberata fuit custodi magni sigilli apud Westmonasterium exequenda. 20 Oct.

By the king.

Righte reverend fader in God, righte trusty and welbeloved, we grete you wele, and wol and charge you that undre oure grete seale, being in youre keping, ye doe make oure lettres severally to be directed to the shiriffes of every countie of this oure royaulme, commaunding theim that with alle diligence possible after the sight of the same they doo make oure open proclamacions within places convenient in oure said counties after the fourme ensueng :—Whereas the king oure souverain lord directed, nowe late his commissions of arraie with other his highe commaundementes in writing, to his shiriffes and other gentilmen of this his royaulme, charging theim by the same to see his feithfull and true subgiettes to be put in arraye, and so to geve their attendaunce upone his moost roial persoune for the subdueng of the malice of his rebelles associat with his auncient enemyes the Scottes, entending the destruccion of his said persoune and the soubversioun of this his royalme. It is nowe soo that the forsaid rebels, understanding that oure said souverain lord hath made politique and mighty purviaúnce for the

1485. recountere and subdueng of their said malice and rebel- 1 Hen. VII.
lion, have withdrawen them silf and bee severelly departed sore abasshed and rebuked; wherfore his highness is content and wol that noon of his true soubgiettes be put to any further charge, payne, or labour atte this seasone by reasone of the premisses, but that they be redy at alle tymes herafter when it shal like his grace to calle upon them, and for the redynesse, towardnesse, and goode disposicioun that they have nowe shewed to his singlier pleasur, his said highnes yeldeth theim especial thankes, and wil have theim in the more tendre favour of his good grace, and see that noon of theim be oppressed nor wronged, but to lyve in good rest and peax under his laws, &c. And theis our lettres shalbe youre sufficient warraunt. Yeven undre, oure signet at oure citie of London, this xx. day of Octobre, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 354.

20 Oct. Grant, for life, to Benet Wever, of the office of one of the yeomen of the Crown. P. S. 19 Sept. No. 355.

20 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Monkeley, of the office of one of the yeomen of the Crown, with wages of 6*d.* a day. P. S. 19 Oct. No. 356. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33).

20 Oct. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Kent, priest, of the free chapel of the Holy Trinity within the park of Restormell, co. Cornwall. P. S. 5 Oct. No. 357. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24).

20 Oct. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Clyff, of the office of keeper of all manner of fishing nets and engines called "welys" in the water of Thames, and in all creeks and places going out of, and coming into, and pertaining to the same, from the town of Rochester unto the town of Stanes. P. S. 22 Sept. No. 358.

20 Oct. Grant to Sir John Morgan, knt., of the offices of sheriff of Wentlouk and Newport, and of steward of Maghen, member of the same, and of constable of the castle of Newport, with the making of all particular officers within the said lordships; to hold the same

1 Hen. VII. during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with as ample wages, &c. as Sir James Tyrell, knt., and Thomas Bawdripe late enjoyed. P. S. 17 Oct. No. 359. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25). 1485.

Commission to Alexander Galion, serjeant of the carriage of the royal household, to provide horses, oxen, wagons, &c. for the king's household until 20 May next. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25). 20 Oct.

Grant to Humfrey Stanley, knt., of the custody of the herbage and pannage of the hays of Allerwas, Chesteleyn, Oggeley, Ganneley, Teddesley, and Bentley, within the forest of Cannok, co. Staff., together with the waifs and strays in the same and to the same pertaining, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 47*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 20*d.* Orig. m. 21. 20 Oct.

Grant to John Fitzherbert of the custody of a certain waste called le Holyngherst, Tyknale, and Prynce fee, co. Derby, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 23*s.* 4*d.* (as it has been accounted for by Thomas Thwaytes and the said John), and an improved yearly rent of 12*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 21. 20 Oct.

Grant to Sir John Mortymer, knt., of the offices of steward of Abbotley, Shrawley, and Elmeleylovet, with the mastership of the game there, and an annuity of 40*l.* out of the same lordships, during the minority of the earl of Warwick. P. S. 21 Sept. No. 360. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21). 21 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Pende, of the office of wood-ward of Chestenwode, co. Kent, with wages out of the lordships and hundred of Medelton and Merden, co. Kent. P. S. 6 Oct. No. 361. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 21 Oct.

Letter from Edmund, the prior, and the convent of Croyland, praying for the congé d'elire. 14 Oct. 21 Oct.

Congé d'elire to the prior and monastery *vice* Lambert Fossedike, late abbot, deceased. 19 Oct. Del. 20 Oct. P. S. No. 362. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8).

1485. 21 Oct. Grant to John Risley, knt., of the custody of the manor or lordship of Eltham, co. Kent, and of all lands, &c. pertaining to the same, "with reasonable firebote, cartebote, "ploughbote, and heggebote," by assignment of the king's ministers, &c., with the exception of all dwellings for the entertainment of the king and his officers and servants in the said manor, and the pasture within the park there, and the hay of two meadows called Hornemede and Brodemede, for 10 years at a yearly rent of 34*l.* 12*d.*, and an improved rent of 2*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 21. 1 Hen. VII.

21 Oct. Grant, for life, to Robert Palmer, one of the king's guard, of the office of keeper of the garden of Eltham, co. Kent. P. S. 18 Oct. No. 363.

22 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Lovell, of the office of maker and keeper of arrows (bowyer) within the tower of London, with wages, &c. out of the fee-farm of the hundreds of Kestegate, Holford, and Greston, together with the markets and fairs to be held in the town of Winchecombe, by the hands of the abbot and convent of Winchecombe, and a livery each year out of the great wardrobe. P. S. 18 Oct. No. 364. Pat. p. 1. m. 5 (31).

22 Oct. Grant to Cecilia Willoughby, abbess, and the convent of the abbey of Wilton, co. Wilts, of the temporalities of the same abbey, which came to the hands of the Crown on the 2nd Sept. last, through the death of Alicia Comaland late abbess thereof, during the voidance of the same abbey, without accompt.; also pardon of all offences touching the same; also grant of the issues arising therefrom during such voidance; also grant of all advowsons, collations, &c. which would of right have belonged to the Crown during the voidance above mentioned. Del. 21 Oct. P. S. No. 365.

22 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Iden, esq. (in consideration of the good and gratuitous service which he performed, as well beyond the sea in those parts where the king was before he returned, with the help of God, to this kingdom, as on this side of the sea, now lately in the con-

1 Hen. VII. flict which has lately taken place between the king and his mortal enemies, sustaining thereby for a long time excessive losses in his goods and possessions), of the office of keeper of the castle of Rouchestre, co. Kent, and the rent called castelle warde pertaining thereto; also grant, for life, of the office of receiver of the manor, lordship, and hundred of Middelton and Merden, co. Kent. 20 Sept. P. S. No. 366. Pat. p. 1. m. 5 (31). 1485.

Grant to Richard Pole, esquire of the king's body, of an annuity of 50 marks sterling for the fee of his office. 16 Oct. P. S. No. 367. Pat. p. 1. m. 29 (8). 22 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Robert Staunton, one of the ushers of the king's chamber, of the offices of receiver and steward of Thorpe Waterfeld, co. Northampton. P. S. No. 368. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26). 22 Oct.[1]

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Westbury, one of the yeomen of the king's guard, of the office of bailiff of Burley, in the New Forest, co. Southampton. 21 Oct. P. S. No. 369. 22 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Eglesfelde, of the offices of bailiff of the lordships of Skyrthynbeke and Elvington and keeper of Storthwayte, co. York. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24). 22 Oct.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelaines of oure Eschequier that nowe be, greting. Where we have deputed and assigned oure trusty and welbeloved knight, Sir Richard Guldeforde, to prepare the Justes of peas ayeinst oure coronacioun, we wol and straitly charge you that ye forthwith, upon the sight herof, make unto oure said knight true paiement of the summe of c. marks, or els to make to him sure and suffisaunt assignement for the same, by him to be spent and employed in preparing oure said Justes, without any prest or othre charge to be sette upon him for the said summe or for any parte of the 23 Oct.

[1] Enrolled under date Oct. 26 on orig. m. 61.

1485. same. And thies oure lettres shalbe to you and every of you warrant suffisaunt and discharge in that behalve, any maner, act, ordenaunce, provisioun, restreint, commaundement, matier, or cause, you to the contrarie herof moeving, notwithstanding. Yeven undre oure prive seel at oure citie of London the xxiijth day of Octobre, the furst yere of oure reigne. S. B. No. 66. 1 Hen. VII.

23 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Aubry (in consideracioun of the feithefull service unto us doon by oure welbeloved subgiet in oure late victorious journey ayenst our rebellis and ennemys), of the office of ragler in the county of Caermardyn in South Wales. 19 Oct. P. S. No. 370. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27).

23 Oct. Grant to John Peet, one of the priests of the king's chapel, of the pension at the king's disposal within the monastery of Croyland, upon the creation of an abbot there, until promoted to a competent benefice by the abbot and convent of Croyland. 19 Oct. P. S. No. 371.

23 Oct. General pardon and release to Edward Redmayne of Harwode, co. York, alias of Lenens, co. Westmoreland, alias of Shidioke or Chidioke, co. Dorset, esq., for all manner of offences committed before the date hereof. 21 Oct. P. S. No. 372. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21).

24 Oct. Presentation of John Kynge, clk., to the parish church of St. Margaret Moyses, in Frydaystrete, London, void by the free resignation of Walter Oudeby, chaplain, the last rector thereof, and in the king's gift. 18 Oct. Del. 23 Oct. · P. S. No. 373. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

24 Oct. Grant, for life, to Amnet Cleg, of the office of ranger of Burnewod, co. Oxon. S. B. No. 67.

24 Oct. Grant, for life, to Walter ap David ap John, of the office of coroner of Gowers land. 21 Oct. P. S. No. 374. Pat. p. 1. m. 15 (21).

24 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Maddokkes, one of the yeomen of the king's guard, of the offices of keeper of the park and warren of Kenton, co. Midd. 7 Oct. P. S. No. 375.

1 Hen. VII. Presentation of Master Peter Greves to the prebend of St. Michael within the collegiate church of Warwick, Worcester dioc., *vice* Master John Stonys, last prebendary thereof, deceased, and in the gift of the Crown in full right. 22 Oct. P. S. No. 376. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24). 1485. 24 Oct.

Grant, for life, to David Philip, esquire of the king's body, of an annuity of 50 marks. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15). 24 Oct.

Assent to the election of Robert Oseney, a monk of the monastery of St. Mary of Osney, near Oxford, as abbot thereof *vice* Richard Leicestre, deceased. 24 Oct. Pat. p. 1. m. 5 (31). 25 Oct.

Grant, for life, to David Philip, one of the gentlemen ushers of the chamber, of the offices of keeper of the manor and gardens of Coliweston, steward of the manors of Coliweston and Eston, keeper of the woods of Coliweston and the park thereto annexed, and keeper of the park of Clif, co. Northampton. 20 Sept. P. S. No. 377. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16). 25 Oct.

Grant, for life, to David Philip, of the offices of constable of the castle of Foderynghey, co. Northampton, and of steward of the manor or lordship there; also grant of all offices pertaining to the said castle, lordship, or manor, with the wages, &c. belonging thereto. 20 Sept. P. S. No. 378. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16). 25 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Pympe, esq., of the 50 marks which the abbot, prior, and convent of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, and their successors pay to the Crown, in consideration of their having compounded with Richard II. to pay that sum each year in lieu of a larger one at each voidance of the abbey. S. B. No. 68. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30). 25 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Gilbert Mawdesley (upon surrender of letters patent of the same office, dated 23 Sept. last, which are insufficient in law), of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day (from 23 Aug. last), out of those 50 marks which the abbot, prior, and convent of St. Alban's pay yearly for the 25 Oct.

1485. voidance of their abbey and the temporalities thereof. 1 Hen. VII. 24 Oct. P. S. No. 379.

25 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Forde, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown. 22 Oct. P. S. No. 380. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33).

25 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Wattes, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown. 12 Oct. P. S. No. 381.

26 Oct. Grant to George Grey, lord of Ruthyn, of the custody of all the possessions of Richard Preston, an idiot, to be employed for the support of the said Richard during his life, according to the discretion of the said George. S. B. No. 69.

26 Oct. Grant, for life, to Humfrey Rayneford, gentleman, of the office of scavage within the city of London and the suburbs, and franchise of the same. S. B. No. 70.

26 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Carlile, chaplain to the earl of Oxonford, of the hospital, free chapel, or place of St. Nicholas beside Richemond. 22 Oct. P. S. No. 382.

26 Oct. Grant, for life, to Robert Staunton, one of the ushers of the king's chamber, of the offices of bailiff of Disworth and Ilston, cos. Leic. and Derby. 22 Oct. P. S. No. 383. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26).

26 Oct. Creation of Edward Courtenay, knt., heir male of Hugh Courtenay, whilom earl of Devon, and Margaret his wife, daughter of Elizabeth, daughter of Edward I., as earl of Devon, and grant to him of the castles, honors, burghs, and manors of Plymton and Okehampton, and the castle and manor of Tyverton; the manors of Sampford Courtenay, Chalvelegh, Cornewode, Norton Dawney, Topsham, Exilond, Ken', Exmyster, Colyton, Whitaford, Whympell, Aylesbere, Baylesford, Musbury, Chulmelegh; the hundreds of Plymton, Tyverton, Colyton, Westbudlegh, Estbudlegh, Exmyster, Harigge, and Woneford; the advowsons of the churches of Ken', Alfyngton, Throughlegh, Milton Damerell, and All Saints in the city of Exeter, and the prebends of Hayes, Coticorum, and Ken', in the

1 Hen. VII. chapel of St. Mary, in the castle of Exeter, in co. Devon, and the chantry of Stikilpath, and free fishery in the water of Exe, and three mills in Exilond; the manor and hundred of Crokehorne; the manors of Westcoker, Hemyngton, Peryton, Westcapeland, and the hundred of Westcoker, in co. Somerset; the manors of Iwerne Courtenay and Iverton, in co. Dorset, Sutton Courtenay, in co. Berks., Hillesdon and Odesdon, in co. Bucks., Wavingdon, in co. Bedford, Sheviok, Westanton, Landulp, Northill, Porthloo, Portpighan, Leghdurant, Landrean, Trelowya, Treverbyn Courtenay, Tregamure, and Trelugan, and the burghs of Crofthole and Portpighan; the advowsons of the churches of Cheviok, Landulp, and Northhill, and the free chapel of Lamand, in co. Cornwall; and all lands of Thomas Courtenay, earl of Devon, son of Thomas Courtnay, once earl of Devon, in Whytewell, Stotecomb, Vielston, Pannesford, Budlegh, Iwyckebeare, West Middleton, Colescote, the city of Exeter, Dimsford, Furde, Ida, Lerkebeare, and Selake, in co. Devon, Plympton, Okehampton, Tyverton, Sampford Courtenay, Chalvelegh, Cornewode, Norton Dawney, Topsham, Exilond, Ken', Kenfurd, Exmyster, Colyton, Whytaford, Whympell, Aylesbure, Baylesford, Musbury, Chulmelegh, Newton Popilford, Dowelton, Thorne, Fareway, Crokehorne, Westkoker, Hemyngton, Peryton, Westcapeland, Iwerne Courtenay, Iverton, Sutton Courtenay, Hillesdon, Odesdon, Wavyndon, Sheviok, Westanton, Landulp, Northill, Porthloo, Portpighan, Legh, Durant, Landrean, Trelowya, Trevirbyn Courtenay, Tregamure, and Trelugan aforesaid; the manors of Brommore, Old Lemyngton, New Lemyngton, and Bokeland, in co. Hants., Colompiohn, Whitewill, Stuttecomb, in co. Devon, Treverbyn, Trelugan, Tregamur, in co. Cornwall, late of Henry Courtenay, belonging to the said Thomas, the son of Thomas, and all lands of the aforesaid Henry in Old Lemyngton and New Lemyngton, Bokeland, Bronmore, Colomjohn, Whitewill, Suttecombe, Treverbyn, Trelugan, and Tregamure aforesaid; to hold 1485.

1485. the above dignity and lands in as full a manner as any former earl of Devon, to the said Edward and his heirs males. P. S. No. 384. 1 Hen. VII.

Pardon of all actions and intrusions upon the premises. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28).

27 Oct. Creation of Jasper, earl of Pembroke, the king's uncle, as duke of Bedford, to him and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, with a yearly sum of 40*l.*, for the support of his estate, out of the issues of the counties of Bedford and Bucks., for ever. The preamble to the creation is as follows :—Cum equidem nil sit quod magis principem deceat quam ut munificum se et liberalem exhibeat, in eos potissimum qui de ipso sint bene meriti, idcirco nos, animo volventes quot quantisque obsequiis, et quidem maximis, nos cumulaverit carissimus avunculus noster, Jasper comes Pembrochiæ, eum sane censuimus dignum quem in sublimiorem gradum eveheremus, memores in primis quot quantaque pericula ac incommoda, pro salute nostra defensanda, ab infantia nostra ad hanc usque ætatem, sit perpessus, memores deinde quantum nobis præsidii ad jus nostrum vendicandum fideliter attulerit, memores denique vetustissimam generis sui nobilitatem, non sumus passi quin pro tantis suis in nos meritis aliqua, ex parte sibi condigna, redderemus præmia. S. B. No. 71.

27 Oct. Grant, during life, to Morgan Vaghan, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Rousse, in West Wales. 25 Oct. Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22).

27 Oct. Grant, for life, to John Charleton, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Cambridge and Hunt. 26 Oct. P. S. No. 385. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34).

27 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Kyrkeby, clk., of the free chapel within the curtilage of Penseherst, void, and in the gift of the Crown, with all rights, &c. such as William [ ], the last chaplain thereof, enjoyed. P. S. No. 386.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Thomas Lovell, of the office of one of the esquires for the king's body, with a salary of 50 marks a year. 24 Oct. P. S. No. 387. Pat. p. 1. m. 13 (23). 1485. 27 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Henry at Lode, of the office of ranger of the forest of Wolmere, co. Hants. 13 Oct. P. S. No. 388. Pat. p. 2. m. 23 (3). 28 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Walterot, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day from the moiety of two water-mills under the castle of Oxford, and all the meadow near Oseney called Kingsmede, and from the moiety of a certain fishery of the water called Temse from the bridge called Hide Brigge unto the same mills which Richard Forest held for term of his life by the grant of King Richard II., at a yearly rent of 20*l.*, and with a livery at Christmas from the great wardrobe, &c. Oct. 26. S. B. No. 72. Pat. p. 4. m. 9 (16). 28 Oct.

Grant, for life, to John Heymyngway (in consideracioun of the true and feithful service that oure humble servant hath hertofore doon unto us, aswele beyonde the see as at our late victorious feld and journey), of the office of bailiff of the wapentake of Stancrosse, co. York. S. B. No. 73. 28 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Stephen Dyneley, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day (from 5 Sept. last). S. B. No. 74. 29 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to Piers Carvanell, the younger, of the office of bailiff of Carnon, co. Cornwall, with wages, &c. out of the lordships of Hilston and Carnon. 21 Sept. P. S. No. 389. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1). 29 Oct.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Thorp, of the office of bailiff of the lordship, town, and liberty of Tonnebrige, co. Kent. 28 Oct. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24). P. S. No. 390. 29 Oct.

(1.) Royal assent to the election made by the subprior and convent of the monastery of Hythe, of the 30 Oct.

1485. Benedictine order, Winchester dioc., of Thomas Forte, prior there, to be abbot *vice* Master John Colyngborn, deceased. 28 Oct. P. S. No. 391. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32). 1 Hen. VII.

(2.) Petition from the sub-prior and convent above-mentioned, for the assent above granted. P. S. No. 392.

30 Oct. Grant, for life, to Thomas Lye, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, from the 3rd of September last, out of the subsidies and ulnage of saleable cloths, cos. Oxon and Berks, with a livery at Christmas from the great wardrobe, as the said Thomas had whilst one of the serjeants-at-arms temp. Edw. IV. 28 Oct. P. S. No. 393. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26).

30 Oct. Grant to Richard Wentworth and his assigns of the right to present a proper person of letters to the parish church of Derton, co. York, whenever the same shall become void by death, resignation, cession, exchange, or demise, or any other wise, for one turn only, in the same way as the Crown would present were this grant not made. 26 Sept. P. S. No. 394. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33).

Oct. Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to allow the late bailiffs of the town of Cambridge, 20*l.* upon their accompt for Michaelmas, they producing acquittances from Sir Thomas Gray, under the following circumstances:—Edward IV. granted by patent, dated 12 Dec., 1 Edw. IV., to Sir Thomas Gray, knt., then Thomas Gray, esq., an annuity of 40*l.* for life, out of the issues, &c. of the town of Cambridge. King Henry VII., by letters under the signet, dated 15 Sept. last, licensed the said Sir Thomas to receive the profits of his said grant for Michaelmas then next ensuing, and directed the mayor and bailiffs of Cambridge to pay the arrears thereof then due to him. William Newton, John Dale, Thomas Gibson, and John Rawlyn, then bailiffs, paid 20*l.* of their farm to Gray, in part payment of the said arrears; they fear that they will not have allowance of this 20*l.* for want of sufficient warrant, to their great hurt, unless the king's grace be extended to them. S. B. No. 75.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, in survivorship, to Giles Dawbney, knt., and Bartholomew Reed, of London, goldsmith, of the office of master and worker of the monies, and keeper of the exchange in the Tower of London, kingdom of England, and town of Calais; to hold according to the form and effect of certain indentures to be made between the grantees and the Crown. (Vide Pat. p. 2. m. (10) and (11). 31 Aug. P. S. No. 395. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27). 1485. 2 Nov.

Grant to Robert Angier, esq., for life, of the offices of constable of the castle, and receiver, during pleasure, of the castle, manor, or lordship of Tunbrigge, co. Kent, and of all the manors, lordships, lands, and tenements being within le Lowey of Tunbrigge. 24 Oct. P. S. No. 396. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26). 2 Nov.

Grant, for life, to John Pirry, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, a livery at Christmas, &c. 27 Oct. P. S. No. 397. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4). 2 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Res ap Thomas, knt., of the offices of constable, lieutenant, and steward of the lordship of Breghnoc, in South Wales. 16 Oct. P. S. No. 398. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (24). 3 Nov.

Grant to John Hony, one of the yeomen of the king's guard, of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Rammesham, co. Dorset, during pleasure, and of keeper of the park there, for life. 2 Nov. P. S. No. 399. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28). 3 Nov.

Grant, for life, to John Edwardes, of the office of one of the yeomen of the Crown, with wages[1] of 6*d.* a day by the hands of the receivers-general of the duchy of Cornwall. S. B. No. 76. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7). 3 Nov.

Presentation of Master James Preston, clk., D.D. to the parish church of Cranlegh, Winchester dioc., *vice* 3 Nov.

[1] Another patent for the same office grants the wages out of the fee-farm of the town of Bridport, co. Dorset. See Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28), 3 Nov., and P. S. dated 25 Oct.

1485. William, abbot of Tichefeld, deceased, the last rector thereof: in the hands of the Crown owing to the minority of the earl of Warwick. 27 Oct. P. S. No. 400. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27). 1 Hen. VII.

3 Nov. Presentation of Richard Skypton, clk., to the parish church of St. Crede, Exeter dioc. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32).

3 Nov. Grant, for life, to Thomas Caldewell, one of the yeomen of the Crown (in consideration of the true hert and service that oure humble and feithfull liegeman hath doone and borne unto us), of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown. 26 Oct. P. S. No. 401. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1).

3 Nov. Grant, for life, to Piers Warton, of the office of one of the yeomen of the Crown, with 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown. 25 Oct. P. S. No. 402. Pat. p. 2 m. 10 (16).

3 Nov. Grant, for life, to George Grey, lord of Ruthyn, of the office of constable of the castle of Northampton. 8 Oct. P. S. No. 403.

3 Nov. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Anthony Browne and Thomas Eden 20*l.* sterling each, upon the following recital :—" Whereas " we, in consideracioun as well of the good, true, and " feithefulle service to us doone by oure trusty and wel- " beloved A. B. and T. E., squiers, as of the grete coste " and charge that they for oure right and tytle have " dyvers weys susteyned and born, willing theim to- " wardes their saide costes and charges to be rewarded " unto we othrewise for theim provide." P. S. No. 404.

4 Nov. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Annesley, one of the yeomen of the king's cellar of the office of custumer of the customs and subsidies of the town and port of Kingeston upon Hull, co. York, and of all ports and creeks upon the river Humbre. P. S. No. 405.

4 Nov. Presentation of John Jamys, clk., to the parish of Little Cressingham, Norwich dioc. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28).

4 Nov. Grant, for life, to Thomas Penyngton, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.*

1 Hen. VII. a day, and a livery at Christmas in each year, out of the great wardrobe. 6 Oct. P. S. No. 406. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34). 1485.

Royal assent to the election of John George, one of the brethren, as abbot of the monastery of Athelney, of the order of St. Benedict, Bath and Wells dioc. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (32). 4 Nov.

Grant, for life, to John Upcote, of the office of one of the yeomen of the Crown, with 6*d.* a day for the fee of the Crown out of the issues, &c. of the county of Cornwall. 26 Oct. P. S. No. 407. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34). 4 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Rauf Verney, of the office of keeper of the park of Bekkeley, co. Oxon, in as ample wise as Thomas Fowler late had the same. 3 Oct. P. S. No. 408. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 4 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Twysday, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, a livery from the wardrobe at Christmas, &c. P. S. No. 409. 4 Nov.

Grant to Robert Hals, gentleman, of the offices of bailiff of Halse, co. Northampton, during pleasure, and keeper of the park there, for life; in the hands of the Crown by reason of the forfeiture of Francis, late Lord Lovell. 3 Nov. Pat. p. 1. m. 12 (14). P. S. No. 410. 4 Nov.

Indenture pursuant to patent of 2 Nov. last, (p. 1. m. 9 (27), between the king of the one part, and Gyles Dawbeney, knt., and Bartholomu Reed, of London, goldsmith masters and workers of the monies of gold and silver, and keeper of all changes and out-changes in the Tower of London, England, and Calais, of the other part, setting forth the different pieces of money that are to be coined, the value thereof, the standard of the metal, &c. Thomas Butside, gent., John Shad, goldsmith, John Broke, grocer, Thomas Wyndeoute, mercer, and Richard Gadde, merchant, citizens of London, become sureties on the part of the said masters of the monies for the performance of certain covenants specified in the indenture S. B. No. 77. Pat. p. 2. m. 16 (10) and 15 (11). 4 Nov.

1485. 4 Nov. Grant to Thomas Lovell, esq., and Thomas Underhill, gentleman, of the custody of the manor of Magna Wrattyng, alias Talworth Wrattyng, co. Suff., for 21 years, at a yearly rent of 7*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.*, and an improved yearly rent of 8*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 8. 1 Hen. VII.

4 Nov. Grant to John Tresawell, gentleman, and Thomas Hilles, gentleman, of the custody of the manors or lordships of Tuderley and Lokerley, co. Southampton, the manor of Benham Lovell, co. Berks., and lands in Holbenham and Westbroke, co. Berks., which came into the hands of the king's progenitors through the death of Richard Herfeld and Isabella his wife, and are now in the hands of the Crown, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 33*l.* 0*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 22.

5 Nov. Serenissimo et potentissimo principi Henrico Dei gratia Angliæ, etc., regi, consanguineo et amico nostro carissimo, Ferdinandus Dei gratia rex Castellæ, Aragonum, Legionis, Siciliæ, &c., salutes et prosperos ad vota successus. Certiores facti sumus, a Columbo, viceadmiralo marium regni Franciæ, et præfecto classis christianissimi regis Francorum, nuper in mari oceano, juxta Lusitaniam, interceptas fuisse quatuor Venetorum trivences, intraque eas multa subditorum nostrorum merces et bona, quæ facinorose, contra omniaque inter suum regem et nos amicitiæ consanguinitatis et fœderis jura, sunt perpetrata: aiunt eum ad dividendam prædam in aliquem portum vel stationem regni serenitatis vestræ divertisse. Rogamus igitur eamdem, pro bono et æquo justitiæ cultu, ipsum Columbum, ubicumque eum intra ditionem suam esse deprehenderit, detineri jubeat, rogetque ut bona ipsa et merces omnes integre restituat dilecto et fideli nostro, harum exhibitori, qui hac tantum de causa, suo et aliorum mercatorum nomine, in istam provinciam proficiscitur. Quod profecto ultraque est justum accipiemus præcipue officii loco a serenitate vestra, cui nos ad ea que ipsi mutuo grata erunt et ad meritorum vicissitudinem paratissimos offerimus. Et Deus vos tueatur serenissime et potentissime rex consanguinee et

1 Hen. VII. amice noster carissime. Datum Compluti v. Novembris anno salutis millessimo quadringentesimo lxxx. quinto. 1485.

Yo el Rey,

L. Goncales, Secrete. Arch. Arag.

Grant, for life, to Robert Ayston, of the mastership or keeping of the hospital called Cruchechurche, besides the town of Colchester. 7 Oct. P. S. No. 411. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17). 5 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Henry Ley, of the office of one of the yeomen of the Crown, with wages of 6*d.* a day. 24 Oct. P. S. No. 412. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35). 5 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Richard Stanley, of the office of one of the four foresters of Thorne *vice* one Benson, deceased, with wages out of the lordship of Thorne. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (35). 5 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Stephen Dynelay, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day from the 5th of September last, and a livery at Christmas from the great wardrobe, &c. 29 Oct. P. S. No. 413. 5 Nov.

Grant, for life, to John Payn, of the office of chirographer of the Common Pleas, with all wages, fees, &c. to such office pertaining. 20 Oct. P. S. No. 414. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1). 5 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Resus ap Thomas, knt., of the offices of chamberlain of South Wales, in the counties of Kermerden and Cardigan, and steward of the lordship of Buelth, in Wales. 3 Nov. P. S. No. 415. 6 Nov.

To the right reverent fader in God, and my right and gracious lord the bisshope of Worcester, chaunceler of Englond. Mekeley besecheth your pour oratour Robert Jevyn', of the toun of Herburgh, that where as he was in his hous in Goddis peas and the kyngs on Sonday, that is to say, the vj. day of Novembr, the first yere of the reigne of King Henrie the vijth., aftir ix. of the clock in the nyght, Richard Ingorby and William Whitton', with other riotes persones, to the nombre of xvj., came 6 Nov.

1485. to the hous of your seid oratour, and there and then with force and armes shott arowis at the gatys, and with axes, gleyves, and other wepyns of warre brake up the seid gatys and entered into the seid hous, and there bette your seid oratour and his wyf and dyvers of their servauntes, which were in dispeire of their lyves; after which riot and trespas so doon, gracious lord, one Alexander Starky, with dyvers persons of the same affynyte and feleship', toke your seid oratour out of his seid hous and led hym by nyght xij. milys thens to Leycestre, and and there put hym in pryson', without eny auctorite or cause resonable, and there kepyth your seid oratour ayenst all right and gode consciens, and also to his uttermost undoyng without your gode and gracious lordship' to him be shewed in this behalf. Please it therfore the same, the premissez tenderly considered, to graunt a Corpus cum causâ directed to the gailer of the seid toune to bryng the body of your seid oratour, with the cause of his arrest, afore the kyng in his Chauncery, at a certeyn day by your seid lordshipe to be lymetyd, and he shall specialy pray God for you; and this for the love of God, and in wey charite. 1 Hen. VII.

(Indorsed.)

Coram rege in cancellaria sua, xxiiij. die Novembris. Proc. in Chanc.

7 Nov. Parliament held at Westminster (7 November) pursuant to writ of summons.

Meeting of Parliament. Memorandum, quod die Lunæ, die septimo mensis Novembris, anno primo regni regis Henrici Septimi, videlicet, primo die Parliamenti, (ipso illustrissimo rege nostro in camera, communiter dicta crucis infra palacium suum Westminster., regali solio sedente), reverendus pater dominus Johannes Alkok, Wigornensis episcopus, cancellarius magnus Angliæ, causas summonitionis Parliamenti admodum notabiliter pronunciavit et declaravit, assumens hoc Thema *Intende prospere, procede et regna.* In quibus verbis intentionem ostendit

The lord chancellor's speech at the opening of Parliament.

1 Hen. VII. quam haberent electi confluentes ad hoc Parliamentum, 1485.
quoniam præcipue et principaliter, non propter privatum et singulare comodum, set propter eis et regno publicum et commune bonum; et quomodo unanimiter, quantaque cum benevolencia, et hilaritate, singuli eorum id promoverent et procurarent, ostendit, ac utilitatem regis et regni, una cum non mediocri prosperitate eorundem, necessario sequi ex eisdem, hæc notans ibi *Intende prospere,* inducens hic historiam quondam sedatæ discordiæ Romæ relatione et consilio cujusdam sapientis, Agrippæ nomine, de eventu discordiæ semel factæ inter stomacum et omnia cœtera membra humani corporis, prout tradit ad longum Titus Livius, etc. Notavit insuper et declaravit fidelitatem quam subditi deberent continue et perseveranter suis regibus, e conversaque vice, quam fidelitatem reges et principes debeant suis subditis, eos defendendo pro viribus, et providere ut equaliter, debite et rite justitia ministretur omnibus; et hæc ostendit sub hoc verbo in dicto Themate, *Procede;* inducens etiam hic exemplum apum, ubi ad plenum declaravit quinque bonas proprietates apum; quarum quatuor primas applicavit ad subditos, et quintam singulis bonis regibus et principibus applicari persuasit, ibi notans quomodo princeps apum sit sine aculeo pungitivo; insumans, quod per locum, a fortiori qui rationalis et rationalium princeps est, jurisdictionem suam cum clementia, benignitate, et pietate regere debet. Confirmans hoc ex interpretatione nominis, quia reges a recte agendo dicti sunt, ut sanctus declarat Isodorus octavo ethiologiarum, in quo sic de regum proprietatibus perpulcre scribit, "Regiæ virtutes "duæ sunt præcipue, silicet, pietas et justitia;" ubi etiam ostendit, quod in regibus plus laudatur pietas quam justitia. Et istud ibi confirmavit scitis sacrarum scripturarum testimoniis, hoc inferens ex dicto sancti Ambrosii in suo Hexæmeron, quod, sicut finis tam principis, quam subditorum omnium bonorum apum est

1485. operari, et educere ceram et mel, ceram ad cultum et obsequium divinum, atque ipsum mel in humanum proficuum et utilitatem; ita omne humanum concilium, atque Parliamentum, versari debet solum circa ea quæ ad Dei et ecclesiæ laudem et communitatis utilitatem conferre valeant: scientes quoniam consilia, quæ in alterius horum detrimentum fuerint, scilicet, ecclesiæ Christi, aut communitatis, quamquam gentium et principum potentissimorum fuerint, dominus dissipat, et consilium domini manet in æternum. Et idem reverendus pater et dominus ostendit ordinem postremo hujus incliti regni, variis bonis et præclaris legibus ac institutionibus decorari, quibus bonæ executioni mandatis, conclusit super hoc verbo finali Thematis ibi, *Regna,* regem ac regnum sic prospere duraturos, ut (deletis tribus seculis, de quibus commemorat Ovidius primo metamorphoseos, argenteo scilicet, aeneo atque ferreo, id est avaritiæ invidiæ et seditionibus aliisque rapinis omnino deditis,) aureum potiremur seculum, quod seculum aureum ut facilius consequeremur, misit nobis propitius Deus alterum Josue regem, strenuum et invictissimum propugnatorem nostrum, qui nos eruit a summa miseria, conabiturque totis viribus iniquos, aut correctos reddere, aut evellere et extirpare: et hoc alitum suum regnum, bonis, probis et sapientissimis viris sic instaurare, refulcire et reillustrare, ut jubilantes de eo dicere debeamus omnes, quod de Salomone legimus Israliticum populum applaudendo dixisse, *Vivat rex, vivat rex;* et cum propheta sic orare continue, "Domine salvum fac "regem nostrum," supple, ab omni adversitate mentis et corporis, ut nobiscum lætos et prosperos plurimos duret annos, et felicem post se prolem regnaturum relinquat, quando perhenniter, et æterna felicitate remunerandum, a nobis eum evocabit Altissimus, pro tantis suis bene meritis; quorum meritorum et præmii nos esse participes concedat Deus, qui sine fine vivit et regnat. Amen. 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. Post cujus quidem pronuntiationis et declarationis conclusionem, idem cancellarius communitatibus, pro comitatibus civitatibus et burgis ad dictum Parliamentum convocatis, nomine regio dedit firmiter in mandatis, quod in domo sua communi et consueta in crastino convenirent, et unum prælocutorem suum eligerent; ac sic electum eidem domino regi presentarent. Et ut justitia conqueri volentibus possit celerius adhiberi, idem dominus rex certos receptores et triatores petitionum in dicto Parliamento exhibendarum constituit et assignavit. 1485.

Three receivers of petitions were appointed for England, Wales, and Scotland. Receivers of petitions.

Four for Gascony and the other lands and islands beyond the sea.

Fifteen were appointed as triers of the petitions of England, Wales, and Sootland. Triers of petitions.

Fourteen as triers of the petitions from Gascony and the other lands beyond the sea, and the islands.

Die Martis, secundo die Parliamenti, præfati communitates per quosdam socios suos, declaraverunt dominis spiritualibus et temporalibus in præsenti Parliamento, quod ipsi, mandatum domini regis pridie sibi injunctum cum omni diligentia exequentes, elegerunt prælocutorem suum, non nominando personam, humillime eisdem dominis deprecando, quatenus id regiæ intimare celsitudini dignarentur, et quando eidem domino regi dictum prælocutorem sibi præsentari placeret. Super quo, præfato domino regi prius allocuto, missis a communitatibus extitit responsum, quod in crastina die idem dominus rex presentationem hujusmodi prælocutoris sibi fieri vellet. 8 Nov. Election of a speaker.

Item, die Mercurii, tertio die Parliamenti præfati communitates, coram domino rege in pleno Parliamento comparentes, præsentaverunt domino regi Thomam Lovell prælocutorem suum, de quo idem dominus rex se bene contentavit. Qui quidem Thomas, post excusationem suam coram domino rege factam, pro eo quod ipsa sua 9 Nov. Presentation of the speaker.

1485. excusatio ex parte dicti domini regis admitti non potuit, 1 Hen. VII. eidem domino regi humillime supplicavit, quatinus omnia et singula per ipsum in Parliamento prædicto, nomine dictæ communitatis proferrenda et declaranda, sub tali posset, protestatione proferre et declarare, quod si ipse aliqua, sibi per præfatos socios suos injuncta, aliter quam ipsi concordati fuerint, aut in addendo vel omittendo declaraverit, ea sic declarata per prædictos socios suos corrigere et emendare, et quod protestatio sua hujusmodi in rotulo Parliamenti prædicti inactitaretur. Cui per præfatum dominum cancellarium de mandato domini regis extitit responsum, quod idem Thomas tali protestatione frueretur et gauderet, quali alii prælocutores tempore nobilium progenitorum ipsius domini regis, regum Angliæ, in hujusmodi Parliamentis uti et gaudere consueverunt. Subsequenterque, idemdominus rex, præfatis communitatibus ore suo proprio alloquens, ostendendo suum adventum ad jus et coronam Angliæ fore tam per justum titulum hæreditanciæ, quam per verum Dei judicium in tribuendo sibi victoriam de inimico suo in campo, declaravit quod omnes subditi sui, cujuscumque status, gradus seu conditionis fuerint, haberent, et tenerent sibi et hæredibus suis omnia terras, tenementa redditus et hæreditamenta sua, eisdemque gauderent, exceptis talibus personis quales suam majestatem regiam offenderunt, qui juxta eorum demerita in præsentis Parliamenti curia aliter essent plectendi.

Grant of a subsidy.

Memorandum quod communitates regni Angliæ in præsenti Parliamento existentes, et coram domino rege in pleno Parliamento comparentes, per Thomam Lovell prælocutorem suum declarabant, qualiter ipsi, de assensu dominorum spiritualium et temporalium in Parliamento prædicto existentium, concesserunt præfato domino regi certa subsidia, tam de indigenis quam aliengenis, sub certa forma in quadam indentura inde confecta, et eidem domino regi ad tunc ibidem exhibita, contenta, levanda.

The indenture follows.

1 Hen. VII. The subsidy or tonnage was granted to the king, during his life, for the defence of the realm, and especially for the safe guard and keeping of the sea, but it is not to be made a precedent. 1485.

Notre seigneur le roy, en merciaunt a ses commuenz de lour bons coers en faisauntes les grauntez suisditz, mesmes les grauntes ad accepte, et tout le content en l'endenture avantdit especifie ad graunte, ovesque la provision cy ensuante.

The provision is that this act extend not, nor be prejudicial or hurtful "to the merchants of the Hanze in "Almayne, having a house in the city of London, com-"monly called Guyldhalla Theutonicorum."

The following bill was exhibited to the king in Parliament by the commons:—

To the pleasure of Allmighty God, the wealth, prosperity, and surety of this realm of England, to the singular comfort of all the king's subjects of the same, and in avoiding of all ambiguities and questions, be it ordained, stablished, and enacted, by the authority of this present Parliament, that the inheritance of the crowns of the realms of England and of France, with all the preeminence and dignity royal to the same pertaining, and all other seignories to the king belonging beyond the sea, with the appurtenances thereto in any wise due or pertaining, be, rest, remain, and abide in the most royal person of our now sovereign lord King Harry the viith, and in the heirs of his body lawfully coming, perpetually with the grace of God so to endure, and in none others.

The bill, having been read and deliberated upon by the lords spiritual and temporal in full Parliament, at the request of the commons, was thus answered,—

"Notre s^r le roy, de l'assent des seigneurs espiri-"tuelx & temporelx, esteauntz en cest Parliament, & "a la requet des communes, avantditz voet en toutz "pointz."

1485. A bill with a schedule annexed was exhibited before the king in Parliament by the commons concerning the annexation to the Crown of the duchies of Lancaster and Cornwall and other possessions. 1 Hen. VII.

The schedule was a provision in favour of Cecile, duchess of York.

The bill and schedule having been approved, the king assented to them thus, "Le roy le voet en toutz pointz."

A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament for an act to restore certain persons therein named who were attainted in the reign of Richard III.

The following schedule was added in Parliament :—

"And that it be ordained and enacted by the same "authority, that no person of the said persons now by "this act restored have any action for any thing con- "cerning the premises afore the end of this present "Parliament."

The following answer was given, "Soit fait come il est "désiré en toutz pointz."

A bill containing the form for attainting divers persons, with a schedule thereunto annexed, was exhibited to the king in Parliament.

The schedule contains a provision in favour of Sir John Catesbie, Thomas Kennell, and William Ashby, relative to the manor of Kirkbie upon Wretheek in Leicestershire, and other lands in Kirkbie, Melton, Somerbie, Thorpe Segefeld, and Godebie.

The bill and schedule having been read the king answered, "Le roy le voet en toutz pointz."

The attainder of Jasper, duke of Bedford (by the name of Jasper, earl of Pembroke), Sir Edmund Mountford, Sir Edmund Hampden, Thomas Fitzhenrie, late of Hereford, Richard Stukely, late of Lambeth, John Pennicok, late of Weybridge in co. Surrey, Philip Maunsell, late of Oxenwike in Gowers land in South Wales, and Hopkin ap Rys, late of Laganalough in Gower, were reversed, and their possessions restored to them.

1 Hen. VII. Henry Clifford, eldest son of John, late Lord Clifford, who was attainted in Parliament in the first of Edward IV., petitions the king that the attainder may be reversed, and that his said father's possessions may be restored to him. 1485.

The answer to the petition was, "Soit fait come il est "désiré."

Sir William Beaumont, who was attainted in Parliament, 1 Edw. IV., by the name of Viscount Beaumont, prays to be restored to his possessions, and that the attainder may be reversed.

The petition was answered, "Soit fait come il est "désiré."

Sir John Veer, by the name of John Veer, late earl of Oxford, of Wyvenho in co. Essex, Sir George Veer, late of the same town, and Sir Thomas Veer, late of the same town, pray that their attainder in Parliament in the reign of Edward IV. may be reversed, and that their possessions may be restored to them.

"Soit fait come il est désiré" was the answer.

Jane Mey, Agnes Mey, Margaret Mey, Margery Mey, Elizabeth Mey, and Alianore Mey, cousins and heirs of blood of Thomas Claymond, deceased, that is to say daughters and heirs of Alice, daughter of John Claymond brother of the said Thomas Claymond, who was attainted 1 Edw. IV., pray that the attainder may be reversed, and that they may be restored to their father's estates.

The petition was answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

The king, by the advice of his Parliament, enacteth that all letters patent made to his uncle Jasper, duke of Bedford, by King Henry VI., be from the 23rd day of August last past, of as good effect and to the same duke as available as they would have been if no act of resumption or other act of Parliament had been made to the annullation of the same letters patent.

The king, by the advice of his Parliament, enacteth that Katerine, now duchess of Bedford, wife of his uncle

1485. Jasper, duke of Bedford, late wife of Henry late duke of Buckingham, may enter, have, and enjoy from the feast of St. Michael last past for term of her life, as well in recompence of lordships, &c. of the yearly value of one thousand marks ordained to her by the last will of the same late duke in the name of her jointure, as in full recompence of all dower to her belonging, of all the possessions which were of the said duke of Buckingham. The names of the various manors and possessions are here set out. 1 Hen. VII.

Margaret, countess of Richmond, the king's mother, petitions the king that all her estates may be restored to her, whereof she was deprived by Parliament in the first of Richard III. Her petition was thus answered, "Le roy le voet."

Sir Edward Stafford, son and heir of blood of Henry, late duke of Buckingham, who was attainted in the first of Richard III., prays that the attainder may be reversed, and that he may be restored to his late father's possessions. Certain provisions were added in favour of Thomas Lovell, Robert Aungier, John Waller, and Robert Lynsey, and it was answered, "Soit fait come il est "désiré."

Petition to the king by Sir Richard Welles, late of Hellow in co. Lincoln, and Sir Robert Wells, of the same place, to reverse their attainder, and to restore their possessions which were thereupon forfeited.

The king answered, "Le roy le voet."

Memorandum, quod pro reformatione quorundam enormium et inauditorum scelerum in regno Angliæ usitatorum, necnon correctione perpetrantium eorundem, quidam articulus jurandus et promittendus in Parliamento prædicto avisatus extitit, cujus quidem articuli tenor sequitur in hæc verba. Yee shall swere, that yee from henceforth shall not receive, aid, ne comforte any persone oopenlie cursed murderer, felon, or outlawed man of felony, by you knowen so to be, or any such persoune

1 Hen. VII. lett to be attached or taken therefore by the order of law, nor reteine anie man by indenture or othe, nor give liverie, signe, or token, contrarie to the law, nor any maintenance, imbracerie, riotts, or unlawfull assemblie make, cause to be made, or assente thereto, nor lett nor cause to be letted the execution of any of the kinges writts or precepts directed to such lawfull ministers and officers as ought to have execucione of the same, nor lett any man to baile or mainprise, knowing and deeming him to be felon, upon youre honour and worship. So God you helpe and hys saints. 1485.

Super quo quamplures notabiles milites et armigeri, tam de hospitio dicti domini regis, quam de domo communitatis, ad præsens Parliamentum venire summoniti, decimo nono die Novembris coram domino rege, dominis spiritualibus et temporalibus tunc præsentibus, in cameram Parliamenti vocati, articulo prædicto primitus coram eis publice recitato, articulum illum singillatim observare et custodire super sancta Dei evangelia juraverunt et promiserunt. 19 Nov.

Subsequenterque, eodem die, post recessum dictorum militum et armigerorum a camera Parliamenti, venerabilis pater Johannes Wigorniæ episcopus cancellarius Angliæ, dominis spiritualibus et temporalibus tunc præsentibus, ostendebat, qualiter supradicti milites, armigeri, et alii generosi, sacramenta sua, prout inter illos dominos omnes appunctuabatur, præstiterunt, illos interrogans, si ipsi id idem facere vellent, qui respondentes quasi una voce dixerunt, parati sumus illud idem perficere; facto intervallo, articulus supradictus, in præsentia dicti domini regis et ejus mandato, denuo extitit recitatus: et eo audito omnes præfati domini tunc præsentes, articulum illum in omnibus custodire, observare et performare, quilibet dominus spiritualis manum suam dexteram super pectus suum et quilibet dominus temporalis manum suam dexteram super sancta Dei evangelia ponentes, sponte juraverunt et promiserunt.

1485. Nomina dominorum spiritualium sacramentum præ- 1 Hen.VII.
dictum præstantium :—

Archiepiscopus Ebor'. Episcopi, videlicet, London', Bangoren', Cicestren', Hereforden', Landaven', Lincoln', Exonien', Elien', Roffen', Wygorn', Norwicen', et Meneven'.

Abbates, videlicet, Westm', Glouc', Sancti Augustini Cantuar', Glaston', de Ramesey, Cirencestre, de Wynchecombe, de Sancto Albano, de Bello, de Bury Sancti Edmundi, de Waltham, Sanctæ Mariæ Ebor', de Malmesburie, de Evesham, de Burgo Sancti Petri, de Salop', et Prior de Coventre.

Nomina dominorum temporalium sacramentum prædictum præstantium :—

Duces, videlicet, Bedford' et Suff'.

Comites, videlicet, Lincoln', Arundell', Derbie, Salop, Nottingham, Ryvers, Devon', et Wiltes.

Viscount de Beaumont.

Barones, videlicet, Grey, Dudley, Bergeveny, Fitzwalter, Grey de Wylton, Beauchamp, et Hastynges.

Restitution of Henry VI. The kinge, our soveraine lord, rememberinge how ayenst all rightwysness, honour, nature, and dutie, an inordinate, seditious, and slanderous acte was made ayenst the most famous prince of blessed memorie King Herrie the vith, his uncle, in the Parlement holden at Westm' the iiijth daie of November, the 1st yere of the reigne of Edward the iiiith, late kinge of England, whereby his uncle, contrary to due allegiance and all due order, was atteinted of high treason. Wherefore oure said soveraine lorde, by the advys and assent of the lordes spirituell and temporell, and the comunes, in this present Parlement assembled, and by auctoritee of the same, ordeineth, enacteth, and establisheth that the said acte, and all actes of attainder, forfeiture, and disablement, made or had in the same Parlement, or else in any other Parlement of the said late King Edward, ayenst the said most blessed prince Herrie, or ayenst the right famous

1 Hen. VII. princess Margaret, late queene of England, hys wyfe, or the right victorious prince Edward, late prince of Walles, son of the blessed prince Herrie and Margaret, Jasper, duke of Bedford, late erle of Pembroke, or Herrie, late duke of Somersett, the which Jasper and Herrie, late duke of Somersett, for their true and faithfull allegiaunces and services doune to the said blessed prince, King Herrie, were attainted of high treason, or any of theyme, by what name or names thei or any of theyme be named in anie wise in anie of the said actes, be ayenst the said blessed King Herrie, Queen Margaret, Edward, late prince, and the same dukes, and the heires of every of theyme, void, adnulled, repelled, and of noe force ne effect. 1485.

Restitution of Queen Elizabeth, late wife of King Edward IV.

The kinge, our soveraine lorde, for certain considerations him moveing, by the advise and assent of the lordes spirituells and temporells, and comunes, in thys present Parlement assembled, and by auctoritee of the same, enacteth, ordeineth, and stablisheth that Elizabeth, late wyfe to Edward the iiiith, late king of England, have and enjoye from henceforth all such estate, dignitee, preeminence, and name as she should or might have had or doune if noe acte of Parlement had been made ayenst ne touching her in the time of Richard the iii^{d}, late, in dede and not of right, king of England. And that the same Elizabeth, by the same name the which she so might have had if none acte have been made ayenst her, be abled to plede and be impleded in all manner of accions, and to yeve, graunte, take, and receive all manner of hereditaments, possessions, goodes, cattells, and other thinges; and allso have and maintaine all such acciones of debte and account as she should or might have had or doune, and the same to be of such force and effecte as if no acte of Parliament had been made ayenst ne touchinge her in the tyme of the reigne of the said late pretended King Richard. Excepted for such debts and accompts as have been duly paid and made after the beginning of the said usurped reigne of

1485. the said late pretended King Richard; whereof all per- 1 Hen. VII.
sones which have made any such payments or accompts be thereof ayenst the said Elizabeth quite and discharged.

Also a certain bill on parchment was exhibited in the present Parliament, in the following form:—

Where afore this tyme Richard, late duke of Glouces-ter, and after, in dede and not of right, king of England, called Richard the iii^{d}, caused a false and seditious bille of false and malicious ymaginaciones, ayenst all good and true disposicion, tobe put unto hyme; the beginning of which bill is thus:—

Please it your noble grace to understand the consideracions, elleccion, and peticion under written, &c., whiche bille, after that, with all the continue of the same, by auctoritee of Parliament, holden the first yeere of the usurped reigne of the said late king Richard iii^{d}, was ratified, enrolled, recorded, approved, and authorised, as in the same more plainly appereth. The king, atte the speciall instance, desire, and prayer of the lordes spirituell and temporell, and commons, in thys present Parlement assembled, woll it be ordeined, stablished, and enacted, by the advys of the said lordes spirituell and temporell, and the comunes, in this present Parlement assembled, and by auctoritee of the same, that the said bill, acte, and ratificacion, and all the circumstances and dependants of the same bill and acte, for the false and seditious ymaginacciones and untrouths thereof, be void, adnulled, repelled, irrite, and of noe force ne effecte. And that it be ordeined by the said auctoritee, that the said bill be cancelled, destrued, and that the said acte, record, and enrollinge shall be taken and avoided out of the roll and records of the said Parliament of the said late king, and brente, and utterly destroyed. And over this, be it ordeined by the same autoritee, that every persoune haveing anie coppie or remembraunces of the said bill or acte bring unto the chancellor of England

1 Hen. VII. for the tyme being the same coppies and remembraunces, 1485.
or utterlie destrue theym, afore the fest of Easter next comen, upon peine of ymprissonment, and makeing fyne and ransome to the king atte his will; so that all thynges said and remembred in the said bill and acte thereof maie be for ever out of remembraunce and allso forgott. And over thys, be it ordeined and enacted by the said auctoritee, that thys acte, ne any thing conteined in the same, be anie way hurtfull or prejudiciall to the acte of stablishment of the Croune of England to the kinge and to the heyres of hys body begotten.

Quæ quidem billa communitatibus regni Angliæ in eodem Parliamento existentibus transportata fuit: Cui quidem billæ iidem communitates assensum suum præbuerunt sub hiis verbis,—A cest bille les comenz sount assentuz. Quibus quidem billa et assensu coram domino rege in Parliamento prædicto lectis et intellectis, ad specialem instantiam desiderium et rogatum dominorum spiritualium et temporalium in dicto Parliamento similiter existentium, et de assensu communitatum prædictorum, necnon auctoritate ejusdem Parliamenti, respondebatur eidem in forma sequenti,—Le roy le voet.

A petition was exhibited to the lord the king in his Parliament by the commons of the realm, for an act confirming all letters patents made by the king of the lands of the persons attainted. It was answered, "Soit "fait come il est désiré."

A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament by the merchants of Italy resident in the realm of England, referring to an act of Parliament passed in the first of Richard III., whereby certain penalties and forfeitures were imposed upon them. They pray that the said penalties and forfeitures mentioned in the same act may be revoked and annulled. It was answered, "Soit "fait come il est désiré."

A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament, showing that "Allaine Cotterall, gent., sonne and heire

1485. " of John Cotterall, gent., which John by all hys lyfe 1 Hen.VII.
" was true and natural leigeman unto hys naturall leige
" lord, the full, Christen, and gracious prince, your uncle,
" Kinge Herrie the vith, with whome the same John
" was in service in his full honorable household, for
" the which service, and love, and truth whiche he owed
" and had to youre said gracious uncle the same John
" was piteously murdered and slaine ; and in a Parle-
" ment holden at Westm., in the 1st yeere of the reyne
" of Edward, late called Edward the iiiith, in an acte of
" attaindre that thenne and there, ayenst all right and
" conscience, passed and was enacted ayenst Thomas
" Courtenay, late erle of Devonshire, and other honour-
" able persons, the said John, by the name of John
" Cotterall, late of Brayton, in the county of Yorke,
" gent., was attainted of high treason, and all his
" manors, lands, and tenements, with their appurte-
" nances, forfeited unto the said Edward, and the heires
" of the said John disherit thereof," &c. He prays that the attainder may be reversed, and the petitioner and his heirs restored to the property of which they had been disinherited. It was answered, " Soit fait come il est
" désiré."

A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament, showing that " Herrie Kirkeby, son of Richard Kirkeby,
" late of Kirkeby Ireleth, in the shyre of Lanc., gent.,
" was attainted of high treason by an acte of Parle-
" ment in the 1st of Edward the iiiith, and lost all his
" landed possessions on account of the true allegiance
" and service which the said Richard owed and did to
" the most famous and blessed prince Herrie the vith,
" your uncle." The petitioner prays that the attainder may be reversed, and his possessions restored to him. It was answered, " Soit fait il est désiré."

Sir William Brandon, in his petition to the king in Parliament, states that " he was late marshall of the Mar-
" shallsie of the King's Bench, and lawfully possessed of

1 Hen. VII. " the same office for the term of his lyfe, by the gyft of 1485.
" John, late duke of Norfolk, late marshall of England,
" the which deceased, in the tyme of the reigne of King
" Edward the Fourth, to whome the gift of the said
" office of Marshallsie of the King's Bench, atte every
" voidaunce thereof, thenne belonged. And your said sup-
" pliaunt, so being thereof possessed for the true service
" the which he owed to youre highness, was so put in
" drede of his lyfe by Richard late, in dede and not of
" right, king of England the iii[d], that he was faine, for
" salvacione of his lyfe, to take tuition and privilledge of
" the seinctuarie of Glouc., and there abode fro' the fest of
" S. Michell th'Archangell, the seconde yeere of the said
" Richard, late king, unto youre comeing into this reame
" sovereign lord. And for so much as your same suppliant
" durst not in that tyme come out of the same seinc-
" tuerie, to occupie his said office in the Courte of the
" Kinges Bench, as he should have doune, and no deputy
" durst take upon him to occupie the same office of
" deputie of youre same suppliant the xi. daie of Feb.,
" the 2[nd] yeere of the same late, as is abovesaid, kinge,
" before the said late kinge, the defaute of your said
" suppliaunt, sollemnly called in the Courte of the said
" Bench, was recorded. And thereupon John, late duke of
" Norff., the last deceased, by occasione of the letters
" pattentes of the same Richard, late, as is abovesaid, king,
" was admitted to the said office, and youre said sup-
" pliaunt thereby put oute of his said office ayenst reason
" and good conscience." He therefore prays to be allowed to hold and occupy the said office of marshall of the Kinges Bench. The petition was answered, "Soit
" fait come il est désiré."

James Stanley, dean of the king's free chapel of St. Martin's the Great, in London, states in his petition to the king in Parliament, "That where all the
" archbishoprickes and bishoprickes of thys your noble
" realm of England, being sufficiently endowed, so that

1485. " the arch bishopps and bishops of the same need 1 Hen. VII.
" not, nor by the laudable lawes and custumes of
" thys your land, have nor occupye, ne had any other
" dignitee, benefice, or in any wise augmentacione by
" comendam, provisione, or otherwise. Wherefore, and
" for the horrible and haneous offences ymagined and
" doune by the bishop of Bath, as well ayenst your
" highness as otherwise, and because he, contrary to
" the premises, had and occupied the deanery of your
" said free chapell, with the appurtenances, may it
" please your highness to grant, by youre lettres pat-
" tentes unto the said James, for terme of his lyfe,
" the said deanery, with the appurtenances, by force
" whereof he is therein enstalled in corporall possession
" of the same, wherein the said bishop of Bath intendeth
" to vex and trouble your said suppliant," &c. The petition was answered, " Soit fait come il est désiré."

A petition to the king in Parliament was made by Edmund Cleere and Elizabeth his wife (one of the daughters and heirs of Thomas Charles) and Margery Marshall, widow, another of the daughters and heirs of the said Thomas. They state, " That where the said
" Thomas, late being seised of the manor of Kettil-
" borrow, with the appurtenaunces, in the county of
" Suffolk, and of the manor of Sizeland, with th' ap-
" purtenances, in the county of Norfolk, in his demesnes
" as of fee to him and the heyres of his body comen,
" taylled by fyne, by the occasion of his good will,
" faithfull service, and true allegiance, which he, ac-
" cordyng to his duty, shewed and did to his soveraine
" lord, the famous and noble prince Henrie the vith, late
" king of England, was committed to the Tower of
" London, by the commaundement of Edward the iiiith,
" thanne king of England, uppon a suggestion and
" ympeachment made to hym, that the said Thomas
" treacherously should have received and concealed
" divers lettres of Margaret, late queen of England, sent

1 Hen. VII. " to hym by Richard Staires, of London, skinner, from 1485.
" beyond the seas, compriseing divers treasons to be done
" to the said late King Edward; which Thomas Charles,
" because thereof, was kept in prison in the said Tower
" by the space of xiii. weeks, daiely by the said tyme
" fearing, by dreadfull menaces to hym made, to have
" been destroyed and slayne." The petition further states that the said Thomas Charles, while in prison in the Tower, was compelled, through the menaces of William, then Lord Herbert, and afterwards earl of Pembroke, to make an estate of inheritance to the said earl of Pembroke; he therefore prays for redress, and that the deeds, &c. which passed between him and the earl of Pembroke may be cancelled, and that he may be restored to his estates, of which he had been dispossessed, and certain provisions having been made in favour of Elizabeth, duchess of Norfolk, widow of John Mowbray, late duke of Norfolk, the petition was answered, " Soit fait come
" il est désiré."

Roger Thorpe, son and heir of Thomas Thorpe, one of the barons of the Exchequer in the time of Henry VI., states in his petition to the king in Parliament, " that
" where Richard, some tyme duke of York, by the ex-
" citation, stirring, and moeving of one Thomes Colt,
" esquire, being nigh of councell with the said late duke,
" grevously maligned ayenst the said Thomas Thorpe,
" for the true and faithfull service that he had doune
" and owed to the said late Kinge Herrie the vith; and
" thereupon the said late duke affirmed a bill of trespass
" ayenst the said Thomas Thorpe, in the Courte of the
" King's Exchequer, supposeing by the same bill that
" the said Thomas Thorpe should have taken fro the
" said duke divers goodes and chattels, to the value of
" M.M.^{li}, where in truth the said Thomas Thorpe never
" tooke noe suche goodes of the said duke; oonly, by
" comandement of the said King Herrie, the said Tho-
" mas Thorpe arrested certaine harnesse and other habi-

1485. " liments of warre of the said duke's; for which accione 1 Hen. VII.
" the said Thomas Thorpe, by special labour and untrue
" means of the said Thomas Colt, was condemned to the
" said duke on M.x.li; by virtue of which condemna-
" tion, the said Thomas Thorpe was after in the prisone
" of the Fleet, and there kept unto the tyme he had fully
" contented and paid to the said duke the said somme
" of M.x.li. And after that the said Thomas Thorpe
" was with the said King Herrie the vith in his service,
" and by his comaundement in the field at Northamp-
" ton, and there was taken prisoner and in grete jeo-
" pardy of his life, and from thence had first to the
" prison atte Newgate, and after to the prison of the
" Marshallsie, and there long kept in streit prison. And
" after, for the faithfull service, truth, and allegiance,
" that he owed and bare to the said late King Herrie,
" was cruelly, contrary to all law and conscience, be-
" headed and put to dethe in Haryngey Parke, in the
" countie of Middx., and all his goodes and cattells
" utterly taken, robbed, and spoiled from him by divers
" misruled persons, rebbells to the said late kinge in
" the time of grete commocion and trouble had in thys
" land, the said Roger Thorpe thenne being in the service
" of the said late king, oute of this land, in the castle
" of Guynes, in the countie of Guynez, in the marches
" of Caleys, in the companye of Henrie, then duke of
" Somersett. And after that, the said Roger was in the
" service of the said King Herrie the vith, and ayenst the
" said late duke of Yorke and the other hys adherents,
" in the field of Wakefield, in which field the said Tho-
" mas Colt was in the companie of the said duke of
" Yorke and other hys adherents, and there was sore
" hurte and wounded, wherefore the said Thomas Colte
" afterwards, that is to say, in the terme of St. Hillary,
" in the first yere of the reigne of King Edward the
" iiiith, late king of this land, afore the said king in his
" Bench at Westm., sewed a bill of trespass against the

1 Hen. VII. " said Roger, then being in the keepinge of the marshall 1485.
" of the Marshallsie of the same late king, supposeing
" by the same bill that the said Roger, the xxixth daie
" of December, the xxxix. yere of the said Herrie, late
" kinge, with force and armes, that is to say, with
" swords, staves, bows, arrows, speares, and longethe-
" beves, gadered to him many evill doers and perturbers
" of the pees of the said Herrie, late kinge, to the same
" Thomas Colt unknowen, to the number of xx. M. per-
" sons, in manner of warre arrayed, that is to say, jak-
" kes, salettys, corseyttes, bregonires, and doublettes of
" defense, to slay and murdre the same Thomas Colt
" atte Wakefield, in the countie of Yorke, lay in waite,
" and into the same Thomas Colte thanne and there
" made assaut, and hym beate, wounded, and evill
" entreated, so that he was in dispaire of hys lyfe, to the
" hurte and damage of the said Thomas Colt of M.M.^{li},
" to which bille the said Roger appered and pleaded not
" guilty; whereupon the said Thomas Colt and Roger
" were atte issue, which issue was after, be mighty and
" sinister laboure of the said Thomas Colte, tryed afore
" justices of the assizes in the countee of Yorke, and
" found with the said Thomas Colt ayenst the said
" Roger to the hurte and damage of the said Thomas
" Colt of M.M.^{li}; whereupon the said Thomas Colt, in
" the said Courte of Kinges Bench, had judgment to
" recover ayenst the said Roger the said M.M.^{li}. By
" auctoritie of the which judgment, and by labour of the
" said Thomas Colt, the said Roger afterwards was im-
" prisoned for execution of the same judgment; a coppy
" of whiche accione, recoverie, and condemnation is in a
" cedule to thys bill annexed. And so the said Roger
" Thorpe was continuelly kept in prisone unto the tyme
" that the said Roger, by force and duresse of the said
" ymprisonment, made and caused to be made to the
" said Thomas Colt and other atte hys determinacion,
" to the use of him and of his heyres, a sufficient and

1485. " lawfull estate of and in the reversion of the manor of 1 Hen. VII.
" Colly Halle, in the county of Essex, and of certain
" other tenements called Okkles att Waterleggs, the
" Swan and the Bell in Illeford, in the same countee.
" And over that the said Thomas Colt, therewith not
" content, tooke oute of the Black Freers in London and
" other places all the evidences that the said Roger had
" concerninge the said manors and tenements, with other
" evidences concerning other lands and tenements of the
" said Roger."

The said Roger Thorpe thereupon prays relief, and that the said judgment, recovery, and condemnation, &c. against him may be utterly void, &c.

The petition was answered, " Soit fait come il est " désiré."

Sir Thomas Ormond, otherwise called Sir Thomas Bottiler, presented his petition to the king in Parliament, stating " that James Ormond, late erle of Wilt-
" shyre, John Ormond, otherwyse called John Botiller,
" knight, and also youre said suppliaunt, by the name
" of Thomas Ormond, otherwise called Thomas Botiller,
" knight, for the true allegiaunce and service the which
" they owed and did to the most famous and blessed
" prince King Herrie the Sixt, youre uncle, were in the
" Parlement holden atte Westm. the iiiith daie of No-
" vember, the first yeere of Edward the iiiith, late king
" of England, by an acte made in the same Parlement
" attainted of high treason, &c., and all their possessions
" forfeited." He therefore prays that the attainder may be reversed, &c. The petition was answered, " Soit fait
" come il désiré.

Hugh Loterell, son and heir of Sir James Loterell, prays, in his petition to the king in Parliament, that the attainder of his said father, Sir James Loterell, may be reversed, and that he may be restored to the possessions of which his said father was deprived. The answer to the petition was, " Soit fait come il est désiré."

1 Hen. VII. A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament by the commons of the realm on behalf of Sir William Knyvet. It is therein stated that the said William was attainted of high treason in Parliament on the 23rd of January in the first year of the reign of Richard III., late, "in dede and not of right," king of England, "which "onely was for the true hert and service that he owed "and did to the king oure now sovereign lorde, in the "companie of Henry, late duke of Bukyngham, intend- "ing the conveniaunce into this roialme of his most "roiall persone, for the attaineing of his right; so that, "bycause of the same acte of attaindre and other the "premisses, he shulde have lost hys lyfe, lyvelode, and "goods if he had not agreed with the said late king, "for salvacion of the same, to pay unto him vii. c. marcs, "and to the Quene c. marcs of money, and over that "to depart fro the castell and mannor of New Buk- "enham called Buckenham Castell, and fro the man- "nor of Old Bukenham called Bukenham, Lathys, Car- "leton, and Tyvenham, in the county of Norfolk, with "appurtenances to the same late king and to his "heirs, and to make him sure thereof by fyne or other- "wyse as hys councill would advys, &c. Whereupon "your said besecher, knowing the cruellty of the said "late king, was fayne, for salvacion of his lyfe, to agree "to the same," &c. He prays therefore that all the fynes, &c. done by him and his wife Jane may be void and of no force or effect. The petition was answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré." 1485.

Edward Courtenay, earl of Devonshire, petitions the king in Parliament, reciting "that where hit pleased "youre highness of youre especiall grace, by youre lettres "patentes, bearing date the xxvith day of October last "past, to graunt unto the said erle, and to the heires "males of his body comyng, divers castells, &c., whereof "part were sometime unto Thomas Courtenay, late erle "of Devonshire, son of Thomas Courtenay, sometyme "erle of Devonshire, and part thereof were unto Henry

1485. " Courtenay, brodre of said Thomas, son of Thomas." Some doubts being raised as to the contents of the said letters patent, the petitioner prays the king to have his said letters patent cancelled, and others made instead thereof, &c. 1 Hen. VII.

The answer to the petition was, "Soit come il est " désiré."

Regulations for taking money for the expenses of the king's household.

Regulations for taking money for the expenses of the king's wardrobe.

A petition was exhibited by Nicholas Vaux, son and heir of Sir William Vaux, praying that the attainder of his said father William may be reversed, and the possessions which he had thereby forfeited might be restored to the petitioner. It was answered, "Soit fait come il " est désiré."

A petition was presented to the king in Parliament, stating that " by an act of Parliament made on the " iiiith day of November, in the first year of the reign " of Edward the Fourth, for the true and faithfull ser- " vice and allegiaunce the which Robert, late Lord " Hungerford, owed and did to the most blessed and " Crystyn prince King Herrie the vith, youre uncle, hit " was ordeined and stablished that the said Robert, late " Lord Hungerford, should be unable for ever from " hence forth to have, hold, inherit, or enjoye any name, " dignity, estate, or preemynence, and that he should " stand and be convicted of high treason, and forfaite " to the said Edward, late king, and to his heires, all his " castells, mannors, &c."

The petition further states, that Sir Thomas Hungerford, late of Rowdon, in the parish of Chippenham, in co. Wilts, was, at a sessions holden at New Salisbury on Monday next after the feast of St. Hilary, in the seventh year of the reign of Edward IV., arraigned and attainted of high treason, and " was put in execution of " full cruell deth." It is therefore prayed that the said

1 Hen. VII. attainders may be reversed, and that the heirs may be restored to the lands which had been severally seized on the said attainders. The petition having been read in full Parliament, was answered, "Le roy le voet." 1485.

Jane Fowler, widow of Richard Fowler, petitioned the king in Parliament, that the manors of Wilbram and Halton be excepted and forprised out of the act of restitution of William, late Viscount Beamont. The petition was answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament by Thomas Delelaund, eldest son of Sir Thomas Delelaund, late of Horblyng, in co. Lincoln. It states that his said father Thomas was, on account of his continual service to King Henry VI., attainted in the Parliament holden at Westminster on the 6th of October, in the twelfth of Edward IV., and all his possessions thereupon seized. The petitioner therefore prays that the said attainder may be reversed, and that the possessions of which his said father had been deprived may be restored to him. He was answered, "Soit fait come il est "désiré."

Anne Pympe, daughter of Reynald Pympe, and Elizabeth, late his wife, cousin and heir of John Gower, late of Clopham, in the county of Surrey, deceased, that is to say, daughter of the said Elizabeth, daughter of Lowys, sister of the same John. It is alleged in the petition "that the said John Gower was, to the uttermost of "his power, in the tytle and ryght of then his naturall "leige lord, late King Herrie the vith at Palme Sonday "Feld, for the which he lost his lands, goodes, and "possessions, and afterwards he was also attendinge "upon Edward, late prince of Wales, duke of Cornwall, "and erle of Chester, first begotten son of the said late "King Herrie, at Tewkesbury Field, and there the same "John Gower, in his service, was taken and slayn." The said John Gower was afterwards attainted and convicted in Parliament of high treason, and all his

1485. lands and possessions forfeited to the king. The peti- 1 Hen. VII.
tioners therefore pray that the attainder may be reversed, and the possessions restored to them which the said John Gower forfeited. The petition was answered, "Soit fait "come il est désiré."

Thomas Mille, son and heir of Sir William Mille, states, in his petition to the king in Parliament, "that the said "Sir William Mille was at the felde, comynly called "Palme Sondaye Felde, to the uttermost of his power, "assistyng, accordyng to hys duty, then his sovereyn "lorde Kynge Herry the vith, in his right and tytle. "Wherefore the same William lost all his londs, posses- "sions, and goodes, and was afterwards convicted of "high treason on the 4th of November, in the 1st of "Edward the ivth." The petitioner therefore prays that the said attainder may be reversed, and that he may be restored to the lands and possessions of which his said father had been deprived. He was answered, "Soit "fait come il est désiré."

The commons state, in their petition to the king in Parliament, that Edmund Roos, son and heir of blood of Thomas, late Lord Roos, was attainted in Parliament on the 4th of November, in the first of Edward IV., on account of his faithful allegiance and true service which he owed and did to the most blessed and most Christian prince King Herry VI., and he was declared to be unable for ever henceforth to have, hold, inherit, or enjoy any name of dignity, estate, or pre-eminence within England, Ireland, Wales, or Calais, and he was convicted and attainted of high treason, and thereupon forfeited all his castles and possessions to the said King Edward. It was answered, "Soit fait come il est "désiré, solonque la fourme de peticion et la cedule "a ycell annex."

A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament by his "faithfull moder, Margarette, countesse of Riche- "mond, and his true servant her husband, Thomas, erle

1 Hen. VII. " of Derby," praying that certain possessions, all of which are set forth, may be settled upon her in lieu of jointure and dower. The petitioners were answered, " Soit fait come il est désiré." 1485.

" Lawrence Hille, late yoman of the larder, with the " right famous prince of most blessed memory, Henry, " late kyng of England, the vith," exhibited his petition to the king in Parliament, in which he states that in the Parliament holden at Westminster the 4th day of November, in the first year of the reign of King Edward IV., it was enacted and ordained that the same Lawrence, by the name of Lawrence Hille, late of Moche Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, yeoman, should stand and be convicted and attainted of high treason, and by force of the said act it was also ordained and enacted that the same Lawrence should forfeit to the said late King Edward IV. all his castles, manors, &c. which the same Lawrence had of estate of inheritance, &c. He therefore prays that the said attainder may be reversed, and his possessions restored to him, which had been forfeited to the Crown, &c. His petition was granted by the words, " Soit fait come il est désiré."

A petition was exhibited to the king in Parliament by John Weston, prior of the hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, in England, in which he states as follows:— " Howe in the 31st yere of the reigne of King Henry " the iii^{d}., your noble progenitour, and mony yeres after, " the shireffes of your cite of London, yerely, as longe " as the Order of the Templers in England endured, " were charged upon there accompts of xv.s., by force of " a wrytyng made unto theyme out of the Excheker, " by thies words following, 'Magister Milicie Templi, " 'xv.s. de firma duaꝝ fabricaꝝ levaꝝ in Regia Strata p " 'Templaꝝ,' and after the said Order of Templers was " utterly adnulled and destroyed, all suche lands and " tenements and other possessions as the seid Templers " in England had to theire proper use, by auctorite of a

1485. " Parliament holden att Westm. the xviith yere of the 1 Hen. VII.
" reigne of King Edward the Second, your noble pro-
" genitour, were yeven unto oon Leonard de Tybertys,
" then priour of the hospitall of Seynt John Jerusalem,
" in thys your said realme of England, to have unto
" hym and to hys successours for ever, as in the seid
" acte of the seid Parliament therof made more playnly
" may appere. By force of which acte the seid then
" priour of the said hospitall, and all his successours
" priours of the said hospitall, among other things, have
" been possessed and seased of ii. forges in Flete Street,
" withyn the fraunches of your cite of London, whiche
" were edifyed and belded by the said Templers, and
" for the said ii. forges yerely, sith the same Parliament
" made, have been charged with xv.*s.* unto your noble
" progenitours, kings of England; whiche ii. forges, oone
" of theym was edified and sett a lytle from the churche
" of Seint Dunstane, in Flete Stret, upon the est partie
" therof, and conteynyng in length xviii. footes of assise,
" and in brede xiiij. footes; and the other forge was
" edified and set upon the west side of the same churche
" in the same strete, whiche conteyned in length xv.
" footes of assize, and in brede ix. footes; which ii. forges
" in the tyme of the insurreccion of oon Jak Strawe
" with the comenes, in the dayes of King Richard the
" Second, were easten downe and finally destroyed; sith
" whiche castyng downe and destruccion, your besecher,
" ne his predecessours, prioures of the said hospital,
" myght not be suffred to re-edifie and make ageyn the
" said two forges, because of greate enstraytyng, noy-
" saunce, and difformite of the seid strete, ne to take
" any proffit of the soyle or grounde, whereupon the seid
" ii. forges were edified and belded; and yet your said
" oratour standith chargeable in your Exchequer of the
" said yerely ferme of xv.*s.*, under the name of Magister
" Milicie Templi, xv.*s.* de firma duaꝝ fabricaꝫ levaꝫ in
" Regia Strata ꝑ Templaꝝ, for the seid ii. forges, the

1 Hen. VII. " destruccion of theyme notwithstanding. Wherfore 1485.
" please it your highness, of your most noble and habun-
" dant grace, the premisses tenderly to consider, and
" therfore, by the advyce of youre lords spirituell and
" temporell, and the assent of your commens, in this
" your present Parliament assembled, and by auctorite
" of the same, to take and resume into your handes, for
" terme of xl. yeres, the said grounde wherupon the said
" ii. forges were belded ; and also by the said auctorite
" to discharge, relesse, and quit claym, for you, your
" heires and successours, for the said xl. yeres, the said
" priour and his successours, of the said yearly rent and
" ferme of xv.*s.*, of theyme under the name abovesaid
" asked, and unto you or unto youre heires in enie wise
" due or apperteyninge, or hereafter unto you or any of
" youre successours ought to be due or apperteynyng,
" during the said terme. And also that youre said
" priour and his successours, of the said yerely rent and
" ferme of xv.*s.*, by vertue and auctorite of thys said
" acte, be discharged and acquitted ayenst your heires
" and successours in youre Excheker, for the terme before-
" said ; and youre said oratour shall evermore praie unto
" God for the preservacion of youre most noble and roiall
" estate." The petition was answered, "Soit fait come
" il est désiré."

A petition was exhibited before the king in Parliament, by Robert Cary, son and heir of Sir William Cary. He states that the said William was summoned to appear before the justices of the King's Bench, to answer certain charges brought against him, especially "for ad-
" hering unto Margarete, late Queen of England," and that, failing to attend, he was convicted of high treason, and all his possessions became forfeited to the king. He further alleges that the said William could not appear "bycause that the said William Cary, for the
" naturall love, accordinge to the dutie of his allegi-
" aunce, owed to the most famous prince of blessed

1485. " memory, Henry, late king of England, the vith, youre 1 Hen. VII.
" uncle, was departed out of this realme of England
" into partes beyonde the see, unto the said late Quene
" Margaret and prince Edward, son of the same late
" King Henry the vith, then being beyond the see, in
" whose service, as a trewe subgett unto the said late
" King Henry the Sixte, the said William Cary was,
" till he was att the feld of Tewkesbury, by the ser-
" vauntes of the said King Edward the iiiith, slayne
" for hys true feyth and allegeaunce owed and observed
" unto the said late King Henry the Sixte; by reason of
" which acts he was attainted of high treason. The peti-
" tioner therefore prays that his father's attainder may be
" reversed, and that he may be restored to the estates,
" &c. which his said father had forfeited for his true
" faith and allegiance to King Henry the Sixth." The answer to his petition was, " Soit fait come il est
" désiré."

Sir Thomas Grey, late marquess of Dorset, presented his petition to the king in Parliament, setting out that " he was attainted of high treason and all his possessions
" forfeited in the 1st year of Richard the Third, late, in
" dede and not of right, king of England, on account of
" the true service the which owed and did unto the now
" king's grace." He therefore prays that the attainder may be reversed, and all his possessions restored to him. The answer to the petition was, "Soit fait come il est
" désiré."

Sir William Stanley presented his petition to the king in Parliament, stating that he was seized of certain manors, castles, &c. (the whole of which are here mentioned) of great value, and which he had of grant from Richard III., in exchange for other manors, &c., but which said grant he feareth is not sure and sufficient in law. He therefore prays the king, in consideration of the true and faithful service of him, the said William Stanley, that the king will ordain and enact that he, the

1 Hen. VII. said William Stanley, and his heirs, shall possess, enjoy, and inherit the said manors, &c., without let, impediment, interruption, or impeachment, for ever, &c. The king answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré." 1485.

Sir John Verney and Margaret his wife, cousin and heir to Robert Whitingham, that is to say, daughter of Sir Robert Whitingham, son of the said Robert, petition the king in Parliament, reciting their title to certain manors, lands, &c., which the said Robert Whitingham had obtained by purchase from Henry, late cardinal bishop of Winchester, who had the same by grant from the late King Henry VI. And whereas the said estates were forfeited to the Crown on account of the attainder for high treason of Sir Robert Whitingham, in the first year of the reign of Edward IV.; they therefore pray that the attainder may be reversed, and the lands in question restored to them as heirs to the said Sir Robert Whitingham. The king answered, "Soit fait come il est "désiré."

John Tresham, son and heir of Sir Thomas Tresham, late of Sywell, in co. Northampton, petitions the king in Parliament, stating that the said Thomas, for his allegiance to King Henry VI., was attainted in Parliament in the reign of King Edward IV. and all his lands were forfeited to the king. He therefore prays that the attainder may be reversed, and all the possessions of which his said father was desseized may be restored to him. The king answered, "Soit fait come il est "désiré."

The commons state to the king in Parliament that Sir George Brown, deceased, late alderman of the ward of Westgate within the city of Canterbury, was seized, with another person, to his use of the aldermanry of the said ward of Westgate, and with other tenements and rents, called Chicche's rent, belonging to the said aldermanry; that the said aldermanry and rents were taken from him and his heirs by King Richard III., on

1485. account of the allegiance of the said Sir George Brown. 1 Hen. VII.
The commons therefore pray that the aldermanry and rents may be restored to the heirs of the said George Brown, and his attainder reversed. The king answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

Sir John Seyntlo, cousin and heir of John Botiller, late of Howke, in co. Dorset, states, in his petition to the king in Parliament, that the said John Botiller, for his faithful service and true allegiance to King Herry VI., was attainted of high treason in the first year of the reign of King Edward IV., and all his estates seized into the hands of the king. He therefore prays that the attainder may be reversed, and all the estates of which his said father was dispossessed restored to him the petitioner. The king answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

William Troutebek states, in his petition to the king in Parliament, "That where by good and lawfull tytle "he and his auncestres have, by the space of cc. yeres "and more, ben seized and had an estate of inheritaunce "in and of the manor of Hoxhey, with the appurte-"nances, in youre countie of Hertford, that is under the "value of xx. marks; and nowe late, Edward the iiiith, "late king of England, had greate pleasure in his "mannor and lordship called the More, in your said "countie of Hertford, desired to have the said manor of "Oxhey, which thenn was and is adjoynyng unto the "said mannor and lordshipp of More; and bycause "your said suppliaunt wolde not apply hym unto the "said desyre of the said late king, he entered into the "said mannor of Oxhey, and hit occupied wrongfully, "withoute colour of any tytle, by the space of seven "yeres and more; and by all that season, at divers "tymes quareled and vexed, and caused others to "quarell and vexe youre said suppliaunt, and wolde not "suffer hym to be discharged by the lawe of a unlaw-"full outelawrie, pronounced in an accion ayenst him,

1 Hen. VII. " by synestre labour of covetous people, ayenst lawe and 1485.
" right and conscience, for your said suppliaunt was not
" gylty of the matter specified in the said accion, not-
" withstanding, by occasione therof and other meanes,
" your said subjectt, without any money or other thing
" therfor to him yeven or paide, was compelled and
" coarcted to deliver his evidences, and an estate of in-
" heritaunce of his said mannor, unto certeyne persones
" whos names he remembereth not, to the use of the
" said late kinge; the which late kinge and his officers
" have solde and destroyed the substance of tymber
" and wood that was growyng within the said mannor,
" by occasion whereof, your said suppliaunt hath ben
" kept from his said inheritaunce unto nowe late that
" he came unto youre most honorable service, at youre
" last most victorious felde; for the which service by
" hym unto you done, hit pleased your said highness
" to graunte unto hym, that he and his heyres sholde
" have again the said mannor of Oxhey, and therupon
" lycensed hym to enter and occupie the same, by reason
" whereof he hath so done hitherto, That in considera-
" cion of the premisses, and for the true service that
" youre said suppliaunt hath doon to youre highness, it
" may please your grace to enact and ordeyne that all
" feoffaments, states, &c. made by your said suppliaunt,
" or by any other feoffee, to his use of the manor of
" Oxhey, or of any parcell thereof, to the said late king,
" or to any other, to his use, be from the 4th day of
" August last past voide and of no force ne effect," &c.
The king answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

Roger Belyngeham, son of Sir Herrie Belyngeham, states, in his petition to the king in Parliament, that his said father Sir Herrie was attainted in the first Parliament of Edward IV., on account of his true and faithful allegiance and service to King Henry VI., and all his estates were forfeited to the king. He therefore prays that the attainder may be reversed, and that

1485. all the estates which his said father had thereupon for- 1 Hen. VII.
feited may be restored to the petitioner. The king answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

Blaunch Nevyll, late wife of Roger Ivye, John Perneys and Alice his wife, daughter and heir of the said Roger, petition the king in Parliament, praying that a revocery, which had been fraudulently obtained from the said Roger Ivye, may be declared void and of none effect nor force, &c. The king answered, "Soit fait come il est "desire."

Margerie Beket and Florence (wife of John Blackborn), daughter of John Beket, petition the king in Parliament, showing that on the death of their said father, their mother Margery entered into certain premises in Woolwich and Plumstede, which had descended to their brother David Beket, as son and heir of their said father John Beket, and held the said premises as guardian in socage because of the nonage of her said son David; that the said Margery afterwards became the wife of Symon Shipton, and parted with the said premises to Thomas Croxton and Margery his wife by fine and recovery. Soon after which their said brother David Beket died without issue. They therefore pray that the said recovery may be declared void, and that they, as sisters and heirs of the said David, may have the premises restored to them of which they had been thus wrongfully dispossessed.

The king answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

Sir Robert Willoughby, Elizabeth widow of Sir John Colshull, and Alianore widow of Thomas Strangwyshe, cousins and heirs of Sir Humfrey Stafford, late called Lord Suthwyk alias Humfrey earl of Devonshire, that is to say, the said Robert Willoughby, son and heir of of Anne daughter and one of the heirs of Alice, sister of William father of the said Humfrey, and the said Elizabeth and Alianore, daughters and the other heirs of the said Alice, sister of the said William father of the said

1 Hen. VII. Humfrey,—they state that the said Humfrey died seized in tail of several manors and lands here mentioned, in the counties of Stafford and Worcester, at whose decease the said manors and lands descended unto the petitioners, as cousins and heirs of the said Humfrey, and that Humfrey Stafford, late of Grafton, "with grete myght and "strength," entered into the same and disseized the said suppliants. "The which Humfrey was in such favour "and conceyte with Richard, late, in dede and not of "right, kyng of England, the Thirde, that by the meane "thereof, and by the meane and favour of diverse other, "which were of grete strength and myght in the said "countees, the same Humfrey Stafford contynued his "possessions of the said mannors unto the first day of "your most noble reigne, upon whos possession, sovereign "lord, your said suppliants, within two dayes next after "your most victorious journey, entered, and yet beth in "possession of the same accordyng." They therefore pray the king to enact that the said manors, &c. may not be forfeited nor touched by any act of attainder made or to be made in the present Parliament against the said Humfrey Stafford, &c. 1485.

The king answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

William Danyell and Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heir of blood of Edmond Fysh, late of York, tailor, petition the king in Parliament, stating that the said Edmond, on account of his true and faithful service and allegiance which he owed and did to the most blessed Christian prince King Herry VI., was attainted of high treason, and forfeited all his lands, &c. to King Edward IV. They therefore pray that the attainder may be reversed, and that the forfeited possessions may be restored to the said Elizabeth. The answer was, "Soit "fait come il est désiré."

John Calcote, citizen and painter, of London, son of John Calcote, late of Lameheth, and master of the barge to the most Christian prince King Herry VI., states,

1485. in his petition to the king in Parliament, that the said John Calcote the father, by untrue surmise made unto King Edward IV., "was appeched of high treason "and arrainged, and by greate manasses yeven unto "xii. men was atteynted and adjudged to dethe," by force of which attainder all his lands and possessions were forfeited to the king. He therefore prays that the attainder may be reversed, and the estate restored to him which had been forfeited by his said father. Answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré." 1 Hen. VII.

Edward Ellesmere, late one of the ushers of the chamber to King Herry VI., states, in his petition to the king in Parliament, that he was seized of certain tenements in the city of London, here set out, "which "tenements one Jaques Frus, callyng himself Sir Jaques "Frus, knt., not born under your allegiaunce nor obei-"saunce, nevertheless intending, by inordinat, undewe, "and damnable meanes, ayenst the lawes of God and "nature, to have and obteyne to hym and to his heires, "subtyly by importune meanes, labored agenst your said "suppliaunt, so that, by the besy labour and inordinate "meanes of the said Jaques and other of his covyn, your "said besecher, for his greate trouth and perseveraunce, "allegeaunce, and diligent labours, the whiche he owed "and did to youre said most blessed uncle and his blode, "was atteynted of high treason in the first Parliament "of King Edward the iiiith, by which attainder he "forfeited the said tenements," &c. He prays that the said attainder may be reversed, and the said tenements restored to him. He was answered, "Soit fait come il "est désiré."

John Beaumont, eldest son of Herry Beaumont, late of Goodeby, in co. Leicester, states to the king in Parliament that the said Herry, his father, was, "in the service "of the moste blessed and Cristen prynce Henry the vi., "upon Palme Sunday, in the felde called Saxton Felde, "and in battail was slayn," and after for that cause was

1 Hen. VII. by an act of Parliament attainted of high treason, and all his inheritence forfeited to the king. He prays that the attainder may be reversed, and all the estate restored to him which his said father forfeited. He was answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré." 1485.

Thomas Agard and Margaret his wife, daughter and heir of Geoffrey St. Germyn, state, in their petition to the king in Parliament, that the said Geoffrey was attainted of high treason in the Parliament holden at Westminster on the 7th day of November last past, in the first year of the king's reign, and all his estates forfeited to the king, because the said "Geoffrey was with Richard, late "duc of Gloucestre, late callynge himself, by usurpacion, "king of England, in the last feld, where the same Geof- "frey was so manashed by the letters of the same late "duke, that onles he came to the said feld he shuld lose "his lyve, lands, and goods; for drede whereof, he was "in the same felde, full sore ayenst his wyll." The suppliants therefore pray that the attainder may be reversed, and that they may be allowed to inherit the estates forfeited by the said Geoffrey. Answer, "Soit "fait come il est désiré."

John Beamont, eldest son of John Beamont, late of Goodby, in co. Leicester, slain at Caxton Field, in his petition to the king in Parliament, states that his said father was attainted in the first of Edward IV., on account of his faithful allegiance and service to the most famous and blessed prince Henry VI., and all his estates forfeited to King Edward IV. The suppliant therefore prays that the attainder may be reversed, and all the lands restored to him which his said father had forfeited. Answer, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

Richard Passelegh and Johane his wife, daughter and heir of blood of John Yates, late of Norwich, state, in their petition to the king in Parliament, that the said John Yates, for his true and faithful allegiance and service to King Henry VI., was, by an act of Parliament

1485. in the third year of the reign of King Edward IV., 1 Hen. VII.
ordered by public proclamation to appear on a given day in the Court of King's Bench to answer such matters as should be brought against him, "And it was "so that, by the information of the mortall enemies of "the said John Yates, the said King Edward was so "grevously sett ayenst hym, that if he had ben taken or "appeared should have ben putt to shamefull dethe "causelesse, and utterly bene disinherited of all that he "had: for the doubt of which, in savyng his lyf, he "durst not abyde within the realme, but went into "Flaunders previly, and there was tyme of the foresaid "default made, and there died." The suppliants therefore pray that the act of attainder that was passed against the said John Yates may be reversed, and the said Richard and Johane be restored to the estate which the said John Yates had forfeited to King Edward. Answered, "Soit fait come il est désiré."

A certain bill was exhibited before the king in Parliament stating that, "forasmuch as the isle of Tenet, in "the county of Kent, lying upon the high see on the east "and north parties thereof, and to the ryver of salt water "ledynge from a place called Northmouthe, joinyng to "the see, to a place within the said shire called Sarre, "and from thence to the toune and haven of Sande-"wiche in the shyre, and so forthe to the see on the "west and south parties of the said isle, out of tyme of "mynde, hath be closed and invironed with the said "see and ryver; at whiche place called Sarre, by all "the said tyme hath be had and used a passage and a "ferry, called Sarre Ferry, over the said ryver, by a "boate called a ferry-boate, oute of the said isle into "the countrey of the said shyre of Kent, next ad-"joynyng, and from thens into the said isle, for all "manner of persones, beastes, corne, and other things to "passe and be conveyed att all seasons to and fro the "same isle and cuntrey; by the whiche same ferry

1 Hen. VII. " also, when enemeys afore thys tyme have arryved 1485.
" and purposed to have arryved in the said isle, the
" people of the same cuntry lyghtly have be conveyed
" and myght be conveyed into the said isle, to resiste
" all suche enemys, for defence and tuition of the said
" isle. It is so nowe that by the chaunge of the cours
" of the sec, whiche hath fortuned, in yeres late passed,
" the said ryvere, at the said place called Sarre, where
" the said fery and passage so was had and used, is so
" swared, growen, and hyghed with wose, mudde, and
" sande, that nowe no fery or other passage may be
" there, nor in any other place nygh adjoynynge and
" convenyent, to nor fro the said isle, by bote or other-
" wise, butt onely at high sprynge flodes, and that not
" passynge an houre at a tyde, to the greate hurte and
" impoverysshment of the possessioners, landholders, and
" owners and inhabitaunts of the said isle and cuntrey,
" and by lykelyhode in tyme of warre greate jupardy
" and fere of losse of the said isle if enemyes shuld
" fortune to arryve in the same, if convenyent remedy
" be not had in this behalf. The king, oure soveraigne
" lord, considerynge the premisses, and intendynge the
" comon wele, tuicion, safegard, and defence of every
" parte of this his realme, by the advise and assent of
" the lords spirituell and temporell, and comens, of
" this his said realme, in this his present Parliament
" assembled, and by auctorite of the same Parliament,
" ordeyneth, enacteth, and stablisheth, that the posses-
" sioners, landholders, owners, and inhabitaunts within
" the said isle have full auctorite and power to make a
" sufficient brygge at the place called Sarre Ferry, of
" suche resonable length, hyght, and large space betwene
" the arches therof, so that botes and lyghters may passe
" to and fro under the same, at eny time hereafter, when
" the water shall happen to encrease and be sufficient for
" such botes or lyghters to passe there ; over whiche
" brigge, all manner of persons, bestes, and other thinges

1485. " shall mowe, passe, and be conveyed to and fro the 1 Hen. VII.
" said isle; and that after the said brigge so made, a
" commission be made to certayn persones, by the
" chauncellor of England for the tyme being to be
" named, and they to have auctorite by the same com-
" mission to make such ordenances, statutes, and consti-
" tucions, as well for the reparacions and sustentacions
" of the said brigge, as for the cawseis and weyes ledyng
" or to lede to and fro the said place where the said
" brigge shall be, and newe weys and cawseis ther to be
" made, when it shall be expedient, as by the discresions
" of the said commissioners shall be thought behovfell;
" and that all suche ordenaunces, statutes, and constitu-
" tions so to be made be duly observed and kept." To this was had a schedule of certain provisions relative to the powers of the commissioners to be appointed. It was answered, " Le roy le voet."

John Forster petitioned the commons, who exhibited his petition to the king in Parliament. The suppliant states, he, the said John Forster, the Saturday the 14th of June, in the first year of the reign of Edward V., late king of England, " sodenly was taken att Welde-
" hall, in the countie of Hertford, by the servaunts
" and commaundement of Richard, late, in dede and not
" of right, king of England, the Third, thanne taking on
" hymself to be protector of England, and from thens
" with force and armes riotously was conveyed unto the
" Tower of London, and there kepte and imprisoned
" as a prisoner, in irons and fetters, by the space of
" xl. wekys and more, havyng no mete neither drynke for
" his sustynaunce fro the said Saturday of his first
" brynyng to the Tower till the Monday then next fol-
" lowing, wherby the said John Forster was like to
" have perished, saving by Godys preservacion. And
" moreover, the said John Forster was daily, during the
" said xl. wekys, menaced and thretened to be beheded,
" atteynted of high treason, and also to forfaite and

1 Hen. VII. " lose all his landes and goodes unless then he would pay 1485.
" unto the said late king in money and juelx to the
" value of a M. marcs, and also the same John and an-
" other with hym to be bounden unto the said late, in
" deede and not of right, King Richard the Third by
" their obligacions in a M. marcs."

The condition of the obligation was that the said John Forster was to make an estate such as he hath of and in the manor of Mawdelyns, in co. Hertford, and to deliver such evidences as he hath concerning the said manor unto the lord the King Richard III. He was afterwards compelled to make over the said estate by deed as well as by fine. He then delivered unto Robert Brakenbury, then constable of the Tower, by the said late king's " ferefull commaundement such evidences as he " had, and so he, the said John, for his true faith and al-" legeaunce, is like to be disherited, contrary to right " and conscience." He therefore prays that the said fine, and all things therein contained, shall be null and void, and that he and his heirs may have back the said manor of Mawdelyns, &c.

Answered, " Soit fait come il est désiré."

The mayor, bailiffs, and citizens of Winchester, through the commons, pray the king in Parliament that he will ordain and enact that the said city may be forthwith paved upon the terms mentioned in the petition. They were answered, " Soit fait come il est désiré."

John Lenche, son of John Lenche late of Worcestershire, petitions the king in Parliament that the attainder in Parliament of his said father may be reversed, and that the lands which his said father forfeited to King Edward IV. may be restored to him the said suppliant. He was answered, " Soit fait come il est désiré."

Grant to Thomas Fissher, groom of the king's cellar (for 7 Nov.
true and faithful service, as well beyond the sea as within this realm), of the offices of bailiff of Grove and keeper

1485. of Grove Park, co. Warwick, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick. 25 Oct. P. S. No. 416. 1 Hen. VII.

7 Nov. General pardon and release to John Pekering, of Oswaldkyrke, co. York, knt., alias of Hoswaldekyrk, alias of Lekyngfeld, alias of Wryesill, alias of Wresill, alias of York, alias of the county of York, of all manner of offences committed before the date hereof, and from all the penalties attaching thereto. P. S. No. 417. Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29).

7 Nov. Grant to Richard Harpur of the office of receiver-general of the possessions in England, Wales, and the town of Calais, late belonging to Henry, duke of Buckingham, during the minority of Edward, his son and heir, with 20*l.* sterling a year for executing the same office. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 418. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4).

7 Nov. Licence of entry, without proof of age, or livery, or prosecution of inheritance in the Chancery, to George, earl of Shrewsbury, son and heir of John, late earl of Shrewsbury, who held in capite of King Edward IV., on the day of his death, kinsman and heir of Elizabeth, late countess of Shrewsbury, viz., son of John son of the said Elizabeth, who also held in capite of the king on the day of her death, and son of Katherine, late countess of Shrewsbury, into all the possessions which belong to him by right of inheritance. 28 Oct. P. S. No. 419. Pat. p. 1. m. 5 (31).

8 Nov. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Henry Harman, appointed coroner and attorney in the King's Bench on 18 Sept. last, 10*l.* a year for life, and the arrears thereof from 28 Sept., in the same way as Edmund Brudynell, in the reign of Ric. II. received the same when holding the same office.

8 Nov. General pardon and release to Thomas, bishop of Salisbury, of all manner of offences committed before the date hereof, and from the penalties attaching thereto; restitution also to him and his heirs of all possessions, whether belonging to his see or to himself in his own right, for-

1 Hen. VII. feited to the Crown from 21 Aug. last, and all issues, &c. thereof which shall not have yet been paid to the Crown; restitution also of goods and chattels; power also to enter into possession of the above without livery or other formal proceeding in Chancery; power also to purchase and possess property, &c. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 420. 1485.

Grant, for life, to James Lee, of the office of being one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas, &c. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 421. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28). 8 Nov.

Grant to the king's councillor, Peter, bishop of Exeter (as keeper of the Privy Seal, to which office he was appointed on the 8th Sept. last), of 20*s.* a day, or 365*l.* per annum, out of the customs and subsidies in the ports of Sandwich, Pole, Bristol, Southampton, and Briggewater, from the 8th of Sept. last, so long as he shall hold the same office. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 422. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4). 8 Nov.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to William Vampage 40*l.* sterling, which the king has granted him by way of reward for his good service. P. S. No. 423. 8 Nov.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Fynall, of the office of bailiff of the lordship and hundred of Gillysborowe, co. Northampton. 4 Nov. P. S. No. 424. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28). 8 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Gaywode, one of the yeomen of the king's guard ("in consideracioun of good and true "service doone unto us by oure welbeloved servaunt, as "wele in oure moste victorious journey as sith hiderto"), of the offices of porter of the castle of Stafford and bailiff of Mawdeley and Borlstone, co. Stafford, during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham. 4 Nov. P. S. No. 425. Pat. p. 1. m. 9 (27). Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18). 8 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Roger Penne, servant unto the king's full trusty knight, Sir John Cheyne (for faithful true service done to the king in the parts beyond the sea and 8 Nov.

1485. ever since), of the office of water-bailiff of the river of Thames from Stanes Bridge to the Thamys head; to have and enjoy the same office in as ample a manner as John Penston had the same. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 426. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1). 1 Hen. VII.

8 Nov. [1] Grant, for life, to Robert Marleton, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with 12*d.* a day out of the customs and subsidies of the port of Bristol. Liberate to the custumers of the port of Bristol in pursuance of the above. 20 Jan. S. B. No. 78. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23).

8 Nov. Restitution of temporalities to the monastery of St. Peter of Hide, near Winchester, of the order of St. Benedict, Winchester dioc., the election of Thomas Forte as abbot *vice* John Colyngborne, deceased, having received the royal assent, and having been confirmed by the bishop of Winchester, and the fealty of the new abbot having been taken. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 427. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32).

Letter from William, bishop of Winchester, to the king, notifying the above facts, and praying the restitution above granted, dated Suthwerk, 4 Nov., A.D. 1485.

Writs for the above in the following counties:—Hants and Wilts; Surrey and Sussex; Somerset and Dorset; and to the knights, freemen, and tenants of the said abbey.

8 Nov. Grant to John Willys, of Highworthe, co. Wilts, of the custody of the lordship or manor of Seynt Margarete Stretton and of the lordship of Middelton Brymmesfeld, co. Wilts, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 17*l.* 17*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 3*s.* Orig. m. 23.

9 Nov. Grant to John Page and William Page of the farm of the lordship of Bavelyngham in the parts of Picardy, of a mill in the county of Guesnes, of a certain fishery "de le Plasshe" between Hampnes and Guysnes, of a certain water called Ballingham Water, of a certain

[1] There is a Signed Bill for this grant, delivered 21 Sept.

1 Hen. VII. grange with a sheep-fold, and of a certain meadow called le Listes, between Guysnes Saint Blase and the mill of a certain place called le Walle, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 50*l.*, and an improved yearly rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* 1485.

Grant, for life, to John Venables, gentleman, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the custom of the town and port of Pole, co. Dorset, a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas, &c. 4 Nov. P. S. No. 428. Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29). 9 Nov.

Writ of liberate to the custumers of the said port, &c., in pursuance of the above. 11 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Milo Child, of the office of one of the four messengers of the Exchequer, with wages of 4½*d.* a day, a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas, &c. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 429. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17). 9 Nov.

Grant, for life, to John Norman, of the office of one of the four messengers of the Exchequer, with wages of 4½*d.* a day, a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas, &c. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 430. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 9 Nov.

Grant, for life, to William Tyler, of the office of one of the four messengers of the Exchequer, with wages of 4½*d.* a day, a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas, &c. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 431. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24). 9 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Nicholas Barley, of the city of London, skinner, of the office of skinner to the king, otherwise called "the office of serjeant of that occupation," now being in the gift and at the disposal of the Crown, with wages out of the customs of the port of London. 9 Nov. P. S. No. 432. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22). 10 Nov.

Grant, in survivorship, to Master Richard Fox, the king's secretary, and Davy Philip, of the office of keeper of the little park adjoining to the castle of Wyndesore. 28 Sept. P. S. No. 433. 10 Nov.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Bedwhale, of the office of receiver of the honor and lordship of Walyng- 10 Nov.

1485. ford, parcel of the duchy of Cornwall. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 434. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28). 1 Hen. VII.

10 Nov. Grant, to William Lewelyn of the offices of receiver and approver of the lordship of Nywport during the minority of Henry,[1] duke of Buckingham, and of receiver of the forest of Deane, during pleasure. 6 Oct. P. S. No. 435. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33).

10 Nov. Grant, for life, to Hugh Erdeswike, esq., of the office of steward of all the lordships, lands, and tenements late belonging unto Sir John Devoroux, late Lord Ferrers of Charteley, "oure rebelle and traitour," within the county of Stafford, with the keeping of the two parks of Charteley, co. Stafford. Sept. 27. P. S. No. 436. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30).

10 Nov. Grant, to the king's beloved councillor and secretary, Richard Fox, of the office of keeper of the exchange within the town of Calais, and within the realm of England towards foreign parts, that is to say, that he or his deputies or assigns be empowered to issue letters of exchange to any persons of any condition whatsoever, who may piously wish to fulfil devout vows or other matters for the benefit of their souls in the city of Rome or elsewhere, or any other private matters, in person or by deputy, and who may wish to send out such sums of gold and silver as may be necessary for carrying out their objects; taking for such letters of exchange whatever may be reasonably agreed upon between him and the persons to whom he shall issue such letters of exchange, and all dues to the Crown thereupon; to hold this office for 10 years, paying therefore yearly to the Crown 30*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* 8 Nov. P. S. No. 437.

11 Nov. Mandate to the abbess and convent of the monastery of Wilton to admit Alicia Braban as a nun in their monastery, she being nominated thereto by virtue of the right and custom which belong to the Crown of England

[1] So in the Record. Should be Edward: Henry died 1483.

1 Hen. VII. of nominating, after the king's coronation, a fit person to be received as a nun therein; the said monastery being of royal foundation and under royal patronage. 9 Nov. P. S. No. 438. 1485.

Appointment of Thomas Tremayll, during pleasure, to be one of the king's serjeants-at-law. S. B. No. 79. Pat. p. 1. m. 8 (28). 12 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Harrold Staunton, of the office of steward of the lordships of Buskby, Thirynby, and Houghton, co. Leic. 10 Nov. P. S. No. 439. 12 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Jevan Lloyde Vaghan, of the office of constable of the castle Nethe and Abraven', within the county of Glamorgan, in South Wales. 4 Nov. P. S. No. 440. 12 Nov.

Grant, for life, to John ap Thomas, of the offices of steward of the Welsh courts of the counties of Kermerdyn and Cardigan, in South Wales, and forester of the forest of Glynecothy there. P. S. No. 441. 12 Nov.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Robert Spaldyng (appointed one of the king's serjeants-at-arms on Sept. 28 last, for life, from Sept. 14) all arrears of his wages of 12*d.* a day, due from Sept. 14, the day when he first began to perform the duties of his office, as allowed in the Pipe Roll, 21 Edw. IV., in the items for London to the sheriff for wages to Robert Spaldyng, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms. S. B. No. 80. 12 Nov.

Grant, to Thomas Richer, esq., of the custody of the manor of Huntingfield, co. Kent, for seven years at a yearly rent of 10*l.* 2*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 4*s.* 8*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 14. 12 Nov.

Grant to Elizabeth Wyndesore, widow, Andrew Wyndesore, and Francis Catesby of the custody of the manor of Kenyngton, otherwise called Colde Kenyngton, co. Midd., for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 20*l.* 20*d.*, and an improved yearly rent of 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 22. 12 Nov.

1485. 13 Nov. Grant to Richarde Crompe of the office of feodary of the honor of Walyngford, made in consequence of the following petition:—"Mekely sheweth unto your high- "nesse your feithfulle true servaunt and liegeman Rich- "ard Crompe, oone of the marchallis of your halle, that "whereas he, jeopardyng his lif, landes, and all his "goodes, came and did your highnesse service in your "late victorious felde and journey at his propre coste "and charge, and also by his meanes and diligent labour "caused the towne of Shrewesbury to be delivered unto "your handes at your comyng by that wey. It may "please your highnesse, in consideration of the premis- "ses, and that your said servaunt may be of habilite to "do your grace the more acceptable service, to graunt "unto hym thoffice of feodary of your honour of Wal- "lyngford, to have and enjoyoie the same by hym self "or his deputies sufficient, with the fees and wages to "the said office due and accustumed yerly to be per- "ceived by thandes of the resseivour of your said "honour for the tyme beyng atte festes of Ester and "Michelmasse by evene porciouns, with all other prou- "ffites, commodites, and avauntages thereunto belong- "yng or in eny wise apperteynyng; and that he may "have thereuppone your gracious lettres patentes in deu "and lauful fourme to hym to be made. And he shal "hartely pray to God for the conservacioun of your "moost and roial astat." Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29). 1 Hen. VII.

13 Nov. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to the king's trusty and well-beloved esquire Richard Salkeld, captain of the town and castle of Carlell, 40*l.* sterling, in part payment of his costs and expenses borne and sustained in keeping and waging of soldiers and otherwise for the surety and safeguard of the same, by the king's command, since the rule and governance thereof was committed to him. P. S. No. 442.

13 Nov. Safe conduct for one year (at the prayer of Diego de Castro, merchant of Spain, residing within the city of

1 Hen. VII. London) to Peter Risshome, a merchant of Brittany, his factors, attornies, and servants, and a ship called le Julian, of Saint Malows of the parts of Brittany, of 40 tons burden, the crew consisting of the master, 24 sailors, and 2 pages, that he and they may remain on shore or afloat in England, or export or import goods, merchandize, &c. from abroad, according to their liking. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 443. 1485.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Thomas Morton, gentleman, an annuity, and all arrears of same, of 40 marks, granted to him by the king for life as a reward for his meritorious services. P. S. No. 444. 13 Nov.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to give tallies for 100*l.* to Sir Gilbert Talbot, knt., appointed sheriff, co. Salop., for the next year, in which office the king understands he will have and sustain great hurts, costs, and charges, to his great loss and hinderance, for his indemnity therein. 13 Nov.

The same for 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* to Everard Dygby, esq., sheriff, co. Salop. 14 Nov.

The same for 100*l.* to Henry Vere, esq., sheriff, co. Northampton. 14 Nov.

The same for 100*l.* to John Byron, esq., sheriff, cos. Notts. and Derby. 14 Nov.

The same for 100*l.* to William Cheyne, sheriff, co. Kent. 14 Nov.

The same for 40*l.* to Nicholas Gaynesford, esq., sheriff, cos. Surr. and Sussex. 14 Nov.

The same for 160*l.* to John Dygby, esq., sheriff, cos. Warwick and Leic. 14 Nov.

The same for 198*l.* to Sir John Fortescu, knt., sheriff, cos. Essex and Hertf. 14 Nov.

The same for 70*l.* to George Ingleton, esq., sheriff, cos. Bedford and Bucks. 14 Nov.

The same for 340*l.* to Sir John Savyle, knt., sheriff, co. York. 14 Nov.

1485. The same for 90*l.* to Sir Edmond Mountfort, knt., sheriff, cos. Oxon. and Berks. 14 Nov. 1 Hen. VII.

The same for 160*l.* to John Paston, esq., sheriff, cos. Norfolk and Suffolk. 14 Nov.

The same for 100 marks to Sir William Fynderne, knt., sheriff, cos. Camb. and Hunts. 14 Nov.

The same for 80*l.* to John Paston, esq., sheriff, cos. Norfolk and Suffolk. 20 Nov.

The same for 50 marks to William Fynderne, knt., cos. Camb. and Hunts. 20 Nov. P. S. No. 445.

13 Nov. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to the grooms of the king's chamber 100*l.* sterling, which the king has appointed them to have by way of reward. P. S. No. 446.

13 Nov. Safe conduct, for one year (at the prayer of Diego de Castro, merchant of Spain, residing within the city of London), to William Boleyn, his factors, attornies, and servants, and a ship of Brittany, called Bonaventura, of 40 tons burden, the crew consisting of the master, 24 sailors, and 2 pages, that he and they may remain, on shore or afloat, in England, or export or import goods, merchandize, &c. from abroad, according to their liking. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 447.

13 Nov. General pardon and release to Edmund Gorges, of Wroxhale, co. Somers., esq., alias late of Framlyngham ad Castrum, co. Suff., esq., of all offences committed up to the present time, and from all the penalties attaching thereto. 11 Nov. P. S. No. 448.

13 Nov. Royal assent to the election made by the prior and convent of the monastery of Thorney, Ely dioc., of Master Richard Holbeche, one of their monks and brethren, to be abbot *vice* Master John Murkote, their last abbot, deceased. 12 Nov. P. S. No. 449. Pat. p. 1. m. 5 (31).

Letter from Richard Foderynghey, prior and president, and the convent of the abbey of Thorney, to the king, informing him of the election above mentioned, and

1 Hen. VII. praying his assent thereto. Dated at their Chapter House, 31 Oct. 1485. 1485.

Grant to Roger Cheyne of the custody of the manors or lordships of Benneham, alias Benneham Lovell, and Hampsted Marshall for 21 years; the manor of Beneham at a yearly rent of 13*l.*, the manor of Hampsted Marshall at a yearly rent of 21*l.* Orig. m. 22. 13 Nov.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod, cum dudum recolendæ memoriæ dominus Edwardus quartus, nuper rex Angliæ, per litteras suas patentes datas apud Westmonasterium nono die Januarii anno regni sui decimo octavo, de gratia sua speciali ac ex certa scientia et mero motu suis, constituerit dilectum clericum suum Robertum Morton, nunc custodem rotulorum cancellariæ nostræ, custodem rotulorum, librorum et recordorum cancellariæ suæ; ac eidem Roberto, officium custodis rotulorum, librorum et recordorum prædictorum, dederit et concesserit. Et ulterius dederit, et per easdem litteras, concesserit eidem Roberto, custodiam domus sive hospitalis conversorum, pro habitatione custodis dictorum rotulorum, librorum et recordorum, per progenitores ipsius nuper regis quondam reges Angliæ ab antiquo dispositi limitati et annexi. Habendum, tenendum et occupandum eidem Roberto officium prædictum custodis rotulorum, librorum et recordorum prædictorum; necnon dictam custodiam domus sive hospitalis, per se vel per sufficientem deputatum suum sive sufficientes deputatos suos, ad terminum vitæ ipsius Roberti, cum omnibus juribus et pertinentiis suis quibuscumque ad officium illud, seu ad domum sive hospitale prædictum pertinentibus sive spectantibus. Percipiendo annuatim, in dicto officio, vadia, feoda, regarda, commoditates, emolumenta et proficua eidem officio debita et consueta, modo et forma quibus alii custodes dictorum rotulorum, librorum et recordorum, et domus sive hospitalis, hujusmodi vadia et feoda ac cætera præmissa ante ea tempora, percipere consueve- 13 Nov.

1485. rint, prout in eisdem litteris plenius continetur: Nos nunc bona laudabilia et gratuita servitia nobis per prædictum Robertum Morton multipliciter impensa, intime considerantes, de gratia nostra speciali, ac ex certa scientia et mero motu nostris, dictas litteras patentes ac omnia in eisdem contenta, rata habentes et grata, ea pro nobis et hæredibus nostris, quantum in nobis est, pro nobis et hæredibus nostris, acceptamus et approbamus, ratificamus, ac ea omnia et singula, eidem Roberto ad totam vitam suam, concedimus et confirmamus. Et ulterius, pro eo quod ex nostra certa habemus scientia quod idem Robertus, circa negotia aliaque nostra agenda diversimode et multipliciter occupatus et præpeditus existit, quod officium prædictum commode ut debeat in persona sua exercere et occupare nequeat, idemque Robertus, deputatum sive deputatos suos, nobis inconsultis, substituere et facere non intendens prædilectum clericum nostrum Willielmum Elyot, de cujus fidelitate, probitate et industria in officio prædicto secum exercendo certiores efficimus, ex parte ipsius Roberti Morton specialiter habemus recommendatum. Nos igitur, ipsum Robertum Morton, in hujusmodi officio suo et aliis nostris et suis agendis favore et gratia nostra speciali prosequi, volentes, de uberiori gratia nostra ac ex certa scientia et mero motu nostris, dedimus et concessimus eisdem Roberto et Willielmo officium custodis rotulorum, librorum et recordorum cancellariæ nostræ, ac custodiam dicti domus sive hospitalis conversorum, pro hospitatione custodis dictorum rotulorum, librorum et recordorum, per progenitores nostros quondam reges Angliæ ab antiquo dispositi, limitati et annexi, habendum et tenendum, præfatis Roberto et Willielmo, dictum officium custodis eorundem rotulorum, librorum et recordorum, necnon custodiam domus sive hospitalis prædicti, per se vel per sufficientem deputatum suum, sive sufficientes deputatos suos, ad terminum vitæ eorum et alterius eorum 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. diutius viventis, cum omnibus juribus et pertinentiis quibuscumque, ad officium illud seu ad domum sive hospitale illud spectantibus sive pertinentibus; percipiendo annuatim, in dicto officio, vadia, feoda, regarda, commoditates, emolumenta et proficua eidem officio debita et consueta, modo et forma, quibus alii custodes dictorum rotulorum, librorum et recordorum, et domus, sive hospitalis hujusmodi, vadia et feoda et cætera præmissa, ante hæc tempora, percipere consueverint. Et ulterius dedimus et concessimus, eisdem Roberto et Willielmo, unum dolium vel duas pipas vini Vasconiæ, habendum et percipiendum singulis annis pro termino vitæ eorum et alterius eorum diutius viventis, de vinis nostris, citra festum natalis Domini, aut alio tempore depost, juxta id quod vinidagia se habent in portu civitatis nostræ Londoniæ, per manus capitalis pincernæ nostri Angliæ et hæredum nostrorum vel ejus deputati ibidem pro tempore existentis. Eo quod expressa mentio de vero valore annuo officii, domus sive hospitalis aut vadiorum, feodorum et cæterorum præmissorum, sive eorum alicujus, aut de aliis donis sive concessionibus, per nos, eisdem Roberto et Willielmo et eorum alteri, ante hæc tempora factis in præsentibus minime facta existit, seu quod inde minime informamur, aut aliquo statuto, actu sive ordinatione, provisione in contrarium facto sive ordinato, aut aliqua alia re causa vel materia quacumque non obstante. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium xiii. die Novembris. S. B. No. 81. Pat. p. 4. m. 3 (22). 1485.

General pardon and release to Edmund Chaderton, late of the town of Westminster, co. Midd., clk., alias late of London, clk., alias late treasurer of the chamber to Richard III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, alias late keeper or clerk of the hanaper of the Chancery of the same king Richard; restitution of lands, goods, chattels, &c. 12 Nov. P. S. No. 450. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1). 14 Nov.

1485. 14 Nov. Pardon and release to Thomas Roger, late of London, merchant, alias Thomas Roger, late one of the clerks of ships of Richard III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, of all manner of offences committed before the date hereof. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 451. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17). 1 Hen. VII.

14 Nov. Grant, for life, to Sir Ralph Greystoke, Lord of Greystok, of the offices of master forester of the forest of Galtres and steward of the lordship of Langton, co. York. 8 Nov. P. S. No. 452. Pat. p. 1. m. 10 (26).

14 Nov. Mandate to the dean and chapter of the collegiate church of the Virgin Mary, St. George the Martyr, and St. Edward the Confessor, in Windsor Castle, to admit William Stoughton as one of the alms knights in that college, to which he had been nominated, for life, by a patent, dated 4 Oct. last, in consideration of his having spent his entire youth in the service of Henry VI., the king's uncle, and suffered great persecutions, tribulations, and losses on account of his love for that monarch. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34).

14 Nov. Grant to William Harper of the office of steward of the possessions late belonging to Henry, late duke of Buckingham, in the county of Warwick, during the minority of Edward, his son and heir, taking 100*s.* sterling yearly for executing the same office, by the hands of the receivers, &c. of the said possessions. 8 Nov. P. S. No. 453. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4).

14 Nov. Grant to John Bishop, of Ely, William Elyot, clk., John Chalvedon, and Peter William, gentleman, and to each of them and their assigns, of the right of presentation to the deanery of St. Biriane, co. Cornwall, whenever the same shall happen to be void; for the next presentation only. 9 Nov. P. S. No. 454. Pat. p. 4. m. 21 (4).

14 Nov. Grant, for life, to Hugh Lowther, esq., of the office of clerk of the forest of Ingleswode, co. Cumb. 10 Nov. P. S. No. 455. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32).

1 Hen. VII. Licence to Diego de Cadagna, merchant of Spain, residing in the city of London, that he or his factor or attorney shall bring from Burdeux, in the parts of France, a ship of Spain, called Saint Marye, of 150 tons burden, Antony de Geostiago, of Gittary, master, laden with wines and other merchandize, to be discharged in the port of London, for one voyage only, the subsidies and duties lawfully required thereupon to be paid. 11 Nov. P. S. No. 456. 1485. 14 Nov.

Grant to Nicholas Suthworth of the office of bailiff of the town of Tonworth, with the custody of the park there, co. Warwick, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of George, late duke of Clarence. 13 Oct. P. S. No. 457. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 14 Nov.

Grant to Thomas Stok, clk., of the custody of all lands, &c. late belonging to John Moigne, in Warmyngton, co. Northampton, for 30 years, at a yearly rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* Orig. m. 8. 14 Nov.

Grant, for life, to James Moresby of the office of one of the foresters of the upper forest of Inglewode, now void and in the gift of the Crown; also of the office of keeper of the lower ward in the forest of Inglewode, co. Cumb. 9 Nov. P. S. No. 458. 15 Nov.

Grant, during pleasure, to Andrew Dymmok of the office of solicitor-general, with a salary of 10*l.* per annum. 14 Nov. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 15 Nov.

Grant, for life, to William Lancastre, esq., of the office of clerk of the court of Penreth, co. Cumb. 14 Nov. P. S. No. 459. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 15 Nov.

Grant to Hugh Louther of the wardship of the possessions late belonging to Thomas Hooton, in Hooton, in the forest of Inglewode, during the minority of Launcelot, son and heir of the said Thomas, and as long as the same shall remain in the hands of the Crown; without accompt. P. S. No. 460. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32). 15 Nov.

Special livery and licence of entry, without proof of age, to John Colt, son and heir of Thomas Colt and Joan 15 Nov.

1485. his wife, both deceased, who held of King Edw. IV. in capite, and also the heir of William Parre, knt., deceased, late husband of the said Joan, who had a life interest in the possessions of the said Thomas and Joan. 5 Nov. P. S. No. 461. Pat. p. 2. m. 23 (3). 1 Hen. VII.

15 Nov. Presentation of Master Thomas Harryes, the king's chaplain, to the free chapel of Whitehalle, in Ilchestre, co. Somerset, *vice* Dan John Baane, deceased. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30).

15 Nov. Writ of diem clausit extremum addressed to the escheator of the county of Glouc., commanding him to carry out the directions contained in a similar writ addressed by Richard III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, to the then escheator of the said county, upon the death of John Derherste, who held of King Ric. III. in capite on the day of his death, the said writ not having been executed owing to the removal of the escheator before he could carry it out. Orig. m. 22.

16 Nov. Grant, for life, to Annet Cleg, of the office of ranger of Burnewood, co. Oxon. 24 Oct.

16 Nov. Grant, for life, to Robert Lyndesey, of the office of porter of the castle of Tunbrigge, co. Kent. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 462. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30).

16 Nov. Presentation of Edward Assheley, clk., to the chantry of the Virgin, in Chichester Cathedral, *vice* William Combe, resigned. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30).

16 Nov. Commission to Robert Poyntz, knt., to be deputy at Bristol to John Fortescu, knt., chief butler of England. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30).

16 Nov. Grant to Edward Rous of the custody of the issues, &c. in the town of Framesden and elsewhere, co. Suff., pertaining to the honor of Chester, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 18*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 12*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 21.

17 Nov. Grant, for life, to Adam ap Jevan ap Jankyn ("in "consideracioun of the trewe service that our wel- "beloved subget hath doone unto oure noble progeni-

1 Hen. VII. " tours of long tyme passed, and to us nowe late in " oure victorious journey and feld, to his gret costes " and damages, and hereaftere entendeth to doo"), of the office of the king's attorney, within the counties of Carmerden and Cardigan, with fees, wages, &c. at the exchequer of Cardigan, by the hands of the chamberlain of South Wales. 14 Nov. P. S. No. 463. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30). 1485.

Mandate to the auditors of the ministers accompts of South Wales to allow Resus ap Thomas, knt., chamberlain of South Wales, all the various outlays and expenses (fully described) which he or those he may employ shall incur in fulfilling the duties incident to his office; the same to be verified upon oath. 9 Nov. P. S. No. 644. Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29). 17 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Richard Brake, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for the fee of the Crown. 25 Oct. P. S. No. 465. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30). 17 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Robert Savage, of the office of master of the king's barge and the keeping of the same. 21 Sept. P. S. No. 466. 17 Nov.

Briggewater. Commission to Richard Merik to be deputy at the port there to John Fortescu, knt., chief butler of England. Similar commissions to the undermentioned persons at the following ports:— 17 Nov.

Newcastle upon Tyne, John Markham. (24 Nov.)

Southampton, Peter Champnes. (16 Nov.) Pat. p. 1. m. 5 (31).

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to the king's trusty and well-beloved esquire Richard Puddissey, serjeant of his cellar, 20*l.* sterling, which the king has appointed him by way of reward. 18 Nov. P. S. No. 467. 18 Nov.

Grant, in survivorship, to Richard Hoskyn, gentleman, and William Smythe, clk., of the corrody of the monastery of Saint Edmonds Bery, co. Suff., void through 18 Nov.

1485. the decease of the last incumbent thereof. 13 Nov. 1 Hen. VII. P. S. No. 468.

18 Nov. Grant, for life, to William Eustace (in consideration of service done, as well to the king, of famous recollection and holy memory, Henry VI., as to the present king), of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the fee-farm of the city of London and county of Middlesex. 26 Oct. P. S. No. 469. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30).

18 Nov. General pardon to Marmaduke Constable, knt., of Someretby, co. Lincoln, for all breaches of allegiance committed previous to 22 Sept. last. Similar pardon to George Hopton, of Swillington, co. York, esq., alias, &c. Pat. p. 2. m. 22 (4).

18 Nov. Henricus Dei gratia rex Angliæ et Franciæ et dominus Hiberniæ, reverendo in Christo patri Johanni Wigorniensi episcopo, cancellario nostro, salutem: Vobis mandamus quod, litteras nostras patentes sub magno sigillo nostro in forma sequenti, fieri faciatis. Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Cum, ab initio omnes homines, natura liberos creavit, et postea jus gentium quosdam, sub jugo servitutis constituit pium fore credimus, et penes Deum meritorium certos in villinagio nobis subjectos a tali servitute liberos penitus facere. Sciatis igitur nos, de gratia nostra speciali ac ex certa scientia et mero motu nostris, manumisisse et ab omni jugo servitutis liberasse dilectos subditos nostros Rogerum Bonde, Johannem Bonde et Philippum Bonde et eorum quemlibet nativos nostros, ut de manerio nostro de Calstok, cum tota sequela sua, tam procreata, quam procreanda, ac cum omnibus bonis, catallis, terris et tenementis suis perquisitis et imposterum perquirendis. Ita quod dictæ personæ et earum quælibet, cum tota sequela sua procreata et procreanda, in forma prædicta, sint et sit, de cætero, liberæ et liberæ conditionis erga nos hæredes et successores nostros in futurum. Aliquo statuto, actu, ordinatione seu provisione in contrarium facto,

1 Hen. VII. edito sive proviso non obstante. In cujus, etc. Data, sub privato sigillo apud palatium nostrum Westmonasterii, sextodecimo die Novembris, anno regni nostri primo. 16 Nov. P. S. No. 470. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1). 1485.

Grant, for life, to Rese ap Philip, yeoman of the king's guard, of the office of raglour within the county of Cardigan. 17 Nov. P. S. No. 471. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30). 18 Nov.

General pardon and release to John Audeley, of Audeley, knt., alias John Tychet, knt. 17 Nov. P. S. No. 472. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22). 18 Nov.

Presentation of John Barton, chaplain, to the perpetual chantry of the Virgin and St. Nicholas, in the parish church of Olveston, Worcester dioc., *vice* Richard Bele, deceased, in the gift of the Crown by virtue of an act, 1 Ric. III., against William Barkley, knt., deceased, and others. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 18 Nov.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer:—reciting that Sir John Sayvile, knt., had been appointed by Richard, "late, in dede and not in righte, "king of England," lieutenant and captain of the Isle of Wight, with power to ordain and depute under him all manner of officers there, and that certain fees and wages were granted therewith, and that he had had great costs and charges in the keeping of the said Isle of Wight, and has not had payment thereof from Easter to Michaelmas last:—to pay all the said wages, fees, &c. during the said term, to which his letters patent entitle him. P. S. No. 473. 19 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Robert Bowley of the office of master of the coinage of groats, half groats, pence, halfpence, and farthings within the cities of Dublin and Waterford; to be made or worked according to the weight and purity of silver; the sinking or graving, the shape, bearing, and rate, being more fully set out and expressed in indentures made between Edw. IV., late king of England and a certain Thomas Galmole, then master as above. 14 Nov. P. S. No. 474. Pat. p. 4 m. 7 (18). 19 Nov.

1485. 19 Nov. Grant, for life, to the king's trusty and well-beloved esquire Nicholas Vaws, of the offices of steward of the towns of Olney and Newport Paynell, co. Bucks. 2 Nov. P. S. No. 475. 1 Hen. VII.

19 Nov. Master William Creton, clk., presented to the parish church of Southmalton, Exeter dioc., *vice* Master Nicholas Gosse deceased, by the Crown in full right. Nov. 12. P. S. No. 476.

19 Nov. Grant, for life, to Laude Ramson, of the city of London, cutler, of the office of cutler to the king. 14 Nov. P. S. No. 477. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34).

19 Nov. Presentation of Master David Hopton, clk., to the parish church of Toryton, Exeter dioc., *vice* Master Nicholas Gosse, deceased, by the Crown in full right. 13 Nov. P. S. No. 478. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (30).

19 Nov. General pardon to Thomas Otter (or Ottur, or Ottir) late of Middilham, York, gent, alias, &c.

Similar pardons to the following persons :—

William Beverley, or Beverlay, or Beverly, clk. of Middelham, co. York, alias, &c. 19 Nov.

Thomas Mauleverer, or Malyverer, knt., late of Alderton, York, alias, &c. ? 9 Nov.

Halnatheus Mauleverer, or Mallyverer, esq., late of Allerton Mauleverer, York, alias, &c. 24 Nov.

William Mauleverer, esq., of Allerton Mauleverer, York, alias, &c.

John Antony, yeoman, of Alerton Maulyverer, York, alias, &c. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35).

19 Nov. Grant, for life, to John Robynson (for services done in many ways heretofore to the king's most dear father), of the offices of bailiff of the town of Boston, porter of Hallgarthe there, and feodary of the honor of Richemond, within the counties of Linc. and Notts. 25 Oct. P. S. No. 479. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23).

19 Nov. Grant, to Master John Shaventon, of the pension within the monastery of Hyde, co. Southampton, which belongs to the king's "denomination" by reason of the

1 Hen. VII. new creation of an abbot there: To hold until he be promoted by the said abbot unto a competent benefice. 16 Nov. P. S. No. 480. 1485.

Grant, for life, to George Lovekyn, of London, tailor, of the office of serjeant tailor in the great wardrobe (his appointment to date from 6 Oct. last, since which day he has filled the office), with wages of 12*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the fee-farm of the city of London and the county of Middlesex; also grant of 100*s.* a year for a house in London; also grant of a livery in summer and winter, at Christmas and Pentecost, out of the great wardrobe, &c. 15 Nov. P. S. No. 481. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30), and p. 1. m. 8 (28).[1] 19 Nov.

Writ of liberate in pursuance of the above.

Presentation of Master William Creton, clk., to the parish church of Toryton, Exeter dioc., *vice* Master Nicholas Gosse, deceased. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 19 Nov.

General pardon to Agnes Ratclif, widow of Richard Ratclif, knt. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). 19 Nov.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to give tallies for 36*l.* 10*s.* to the king's right entirely well-beloved father, Thomas, earl of Derby, which sum the king had appointed him by way of reward, to be paid by the hands of William Walker and Thomas Knolles, late bailiffs of the town of Derby, out of the issues of their office due at Michaelmas last. P. S. No. 482. 20 Nov.

Grant, for life, to William White, of the office of portitor within the wardrobe in the city of London. 4 Nov. P. S. No. 483. 20 Nov.

Presentation of Thomas Denham, clk., to the parish church of Symondesbourn', Durham dioc., *vice* Robert Saunder, clk., resigned; addressed to the keeper of the spiritualities of the see, the bishop being in remote parts. 20 Nov.

[1] There is another P. S., dated 4 Nov., corresponding with the second enrolment.

1485. 20 Nov. Presentation of Robert Saunder to the parish church of Redmerley, Worcester dioc., *vice* Master Thomas Denham, resigned. Pat. p. 1. m. 2 (34). 1 Hen. VII.

21 Nov. Grant, for life, to William Misterton (in consideration of daily and laborious services performed by him in the great wardrobe of the famous and noble prince Lord Henry VI., late king of England, the king's uncle, for 18 years, and from day to day continued to the present day, and at the present time still persevered in), of the office of clerk of the great wardrobe, with wages of 12*d.* a day, liveries both in summer and winter for himself and a clerk under him, and all other emoluments such as both he and William Yeresley heretofore enjoyed in the same office, out of the fee-farm of the city of London and the fee-farm of Queen Hithe, in the same city. 12 Nov. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18).

21 Nov. Grant, for life, to William Dixon, for services beyond and on this side of the sea, of the office of keeper or forester of the woods called Brynskollys within the lordship of Wakefeld, co. York. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8).

21 Nov. Grant to Christopher Moresby and Richard Coldale, the younger, of the custody of the multure of Hubrigby with three places of 30 acres of land which Alan Blenerhasset and Robert Blenerhasset lately held, and of two parts of a parcel of land called Robertfeld and Affenhull, and 12 acres of land called Bordland, co. Cumb., and of all the lands and tenements with gardens in Staynwigg, late in the tenure of Alan Blenerhasset and Mariota de Stapilton, Robert Johnson, William Dixon, and other tenants, which are held of the Crown in capite by soccage and bondage, with the rent of the free tenants in Blmesby and Huberby; of two acres of land near Betilbrigge, co. Cumb., which the heirs of Thomas Karlisle lately held, and the custody of 60 acres of land called Castelfeld, near the city of Karlisle; also of 12 acres of meadow called Comholme; of one parcel of land called le Kyngesgarth, lying near the said city of Karlisle, and the water of

1 Hen. VII. Edene; also the custody of all lands and tenements which are held of the Crown by soccage and bondage as well within as without the said city of Karlisle; also the farm of all monies and subsidies of aliens or persons not born within the kingdom of England, as well as of innholders within the counties of Cumberland and Westmerland; and also the custody of the herbage of certain meadows and tenements called Weryholme alias Holmewery, co. Cumb., in the hands of the Crown, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 22*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.*, and an improved yearly rent of 3*s.* Orig. m. 14. 1485.

Warwickshire and Leicestershire. Restitution of temporalities on the election of Gilbert Manchester, one of the brethren, as abbot of the monastery of St. Mary de Pratis, at Leicester, of the order of St. Augustine, Lincoln dioc.: his fealty to be taken by Richard Neel, knt. 21 Nov.

Concurrent writs for the following counties:—Bedfordshire and Bucks; Notts. and Derbyshire; Lincolnshire; Northamptonshire and Rutland; London. Same to the knights, freemen, and tenants of the abbey. 21 Nov. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32). 21 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Edward Worseley, gentleman ("in "consideracioun of the assured feithe, true love, and service that oure welbeloved servaunt hathe doone unto us, "as well in the parties beyonde the see as atte oure last "felde and journey in subduyng oure enemyes and rebelles and recovering of this oure royaume of England"), of the lordship of Balyngham, in the marches of Caleys and Guynes, in the same way as Robert Radclyff held the same. 20 Sept. P. S. No. 484. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30). 22 Nov.

[Vacated because entered on the French Roll.]

Grant, for life, to Henry Rake, of the office of ranger in the New Forest, co. Southampton, with wages out of the issues of the county of Southampton such as William Parker, a ranger, 40 Edw. III., and John de London, a ranger, 2 Ric. II., were allowed, as it is recorded in the 22 Nov.

1485. Exchequer. 21 Sept. P. S. No. 485. Pat. p. 2. m. 1 (25) 1 Hen. VII.

22 Nov. Grant, for life, to Ralph Wodward, of the office of purveyor of all stonecutters, plumbers, and all other workmen and labourers, and all manner of stuffs needful for the works within the palace of Westminster and the Tower of London, with yearly wages, &c. out of the issues of the fee-farm of the town of Portsmouth, such as John Brynket enjoyed when holding the same office. 20 Nov. P. S. No. 486.

22 Nov. Royal assent to the election of Master Edmund Thorp as abbot of the monastery of Croyland, Linc. dioc., in the place of Master Lambert Fossedik, last abbot thereof. 21 Nov. P. S. No. 487.

Letter from the president of the chapter and the convent of the same monastery to the king, informing him of the election above mentioned, and requesting the assent above granted. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18).

22 Nov. Grant, for life, to John Breynton, of the office of feodary of the lordship or manor of Fownehope, co. Hereford. 15 Nov. P. S. No. 488. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1).

22 Nov. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Master Benet Frictze, the king's physician (in consideration of the true and diligent service performed by him, as well in the parts beyond the sea as in this realme), 30*l.* sterling by way of reward. P. S. No. 489.

22 Nov. Special protection and general pardon to Robert, bishop of Bath and Wells, in consequence of the following petition :—"To the kyng oure liege lord, in the mooste humbliwyse besechethe youre highenes and moste noble grace youre pour oratour Robert, bisshope of Bathe and Welles, that it may please youre seid mooste noble grace to accepte into youre moste graceous and tendre consideracioun his grete age, long infirmite, and feblenes, and that being bishope . . . . . blessid and godly disposicioun to graunte your graceous

1 Hen. VII. " lettres patentes of proteccioun and pardoun undre youre 1485.
" grete seale, in due and laufulle forme to be made after
" the tenour ensuyng, and this bille signed with youre
" most graceous hand may be sufficient warant and dis-
" charge to the chaunceler . . . . . sealyng
" and delyvere therof, and duryng his lif he shall pray to
" God for youre seid moste noble and roiall astate long
" to endure." S. B. No. 82. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32).

Grant, for life, to Stephen Stone, of the office of the 22 Nov.
king's promoter in England, with wages of 20 marks out of the issues of the great and petty customs of London, &c. 14 Sept. P. S. No. 490. Pat. p. 4. m. 21 (4).

Grant to Lambert Langtree of the offices of bailiff of 23 Nov.
Bukby, co. Northampton, and keeper of the warren of coneys there, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick. 20 Nov. P. S. No. 491. Pat. p. 2. m. 52 (1).

Somersetshire and Dorsetshire. Restitution of tem- 23 Nov.
poralities, on the election of John George, one of the brethren, as abbot of the monastery of Athelney, of the order of St. Benedict, Bath and Wells dioc., the said election having been duly certified by Hugh Sugar, vicar-general of R., bishop of Bath and Wells, who is engaged in remote parts, out of his diocese: fealty to be taken by the prior of the house of St. Peter and St. Paul of Taunton.

Concurrent writ to the knights, freemen, and tenants 23 Nov.
of the monastery, in pursuance of the above. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32).

Grant, during pleasure, to Roger Gery, of the office 23 Nov.
of bailiff of the lordship of Bedmyster, co. Somerset. 21 Nov. P. S. No. 492.

Licence to Thomas Fuller, collector of the subsidy of 23 Nov.
tonnage and poundage in the port of the city of London, and in all ports and places to the same port adjoining, to purchase and sell merchandize and export the same, &c. without incurring any of the penalties set out in a prohibitory statute made and published in the Parliament

1485. lately held in London touching custumers, &c. 17 Nov. 1 Hen. VII. P. S. No. 493. Pat. p. 2. m. 20 (6).

23 Nov. Special livery and licence of entry, without proof of age, to Philippa Roos, widow, lady de Roos, and Joan Ingaldesthorpe (sisters and heirs of John, late earl of Worcester), and Edward Dudley, son of Joyce (another sister and heir of the said earl, who died a minor without issue), with respect to the possessions in England, Wales and its marches, Ireland, and the town of Calais, of John the said late earl, or of Edward the previous earl. P. S. No. 494. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 (15).

24 Nov. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the treasourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequiere, greeting. We wolle and charge you that unto oure trusty and welbeloved servauntes gartier king of armes and to his brethren kinges of armes, and heraulde, ye paye and delyvere, in redy money without delay, foure score poundes by wey of reward by us to them yeven of our largesse for theyre good attendaunce and service to us by them doone at the solempne fest of oure coronacion. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre sufficient warrant and discharge anempst us in that behalf. Yeven undere oure pryve seelle, at oure paloys of Westmynstre, the xxiiij. day of Novembre, the furst yere of our reigne.

24 Nov. Safe conduct and special protection, for six months, for Alexander Brus, coming from Scotland into England, with 20 persons in his company. Licence to make what stay he pleases in England, and to go to and fro as often as he likes during this protection. S. B. No. 83.

24 Nov. Presentation of Thomas Morton, clk., to the parish church of Creke, Lincoln dioc., *vice* Richard Bate, resigned, in the gift of the Crown in full right. S. B. No. 84.

24 Nov. Safe conduct and special protection, for one year, for John Makrerek, a native of Scotland, with six persons in his company, coming from Scotland into England. He

1 Hen. VII. is permitted to make what stay he likes in England, and make as many journeys between the two countries as he pleases, &c. within the time limited by this licence. S. B. No. 85. 1485.

Grant, for life, to William Cheyne, esq., of the offices of constable of the castle of Queneburgh, keeper of the same castle, steward of the lordships of Middeltone and Merden, and keeper of the wood called Chestenwode, co. Kent. 14 Nov. P. S. No. 495. 24 Nov.

Grant to Roger Tong ("in consideracioun as well of "the good and true service that oure welbeloved R. T. "hath doone unto us as for the gret losses, hurtes, and "maymes that he hertofore hathe had and susteigned for "his trewe service unto the most Christien prince of "blessed memory, King Henry the VIth, oure great "uncle, doone") to be one of the alms knights in the college of Saint George within the castle of Wyndesore, for life. 18 Nov. P. S. No. 496. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 24 Nov.

Writ to the dean and chapter of the chapel of St. Mary, St. George, and Edward the Confessor, at Windsor Castle, in pursuance of the above.

Inspeximus and confirmation to the prior and convent of Kermerdyn' of the under-mentioned patents; and further grant to them of the power of making their steward of the town of Old Kermerdyn, for the time being, coroner of the said town; also grant to the burgesses, tenants, and residents of Old Kermedyn of full use of the quay of the town of New Kermerdyn, and extension to them of the liberties, franchises, and jurisdictions enjoyed by the burgesses, &c. of New Kermerdyn:— 24 Nov.

14 Hen. VI., 5 Dec. (p. 1. m. 16), inspecting and confirming, with the consent of Parliament, the patent of

1 Henry V., 1 June (p. 1. m. 33), inspecting and confirming patent of

5 Hen. IV., 16 Feb. (p. 2. m. 34), which recites that divers charters, &c. of foundation and endow-

1485. ment (as well as the enrolments thereof in the Chancery of Kermerdyn) pertaining to the convent of St. John the Evangelist of Kermerdyn had been taken away by the Welsh rebels, and to obviate the manifest danger of disinheritance resulting therefrom, restores all the possessions of the said prior and convent, in as full a manner as they were held under the said charters, and exonerates them from being impleaded in any courts and hundreds in any commote of the counties of Kermerdyn and Cardigan, except before the king's justices of the sessions. P. S. No. 497. Pat. p. 2. m. 21 (5). 1 Hen. VII.

24 Nov. Henricus, Dei gratia rex Angliæ et Franciæ et dominus Hiberniæ, reverendo in Christo patri Johanni Wigorniensi episcopo, cancellario nostro, salutem: Vobis mandamus quod, litteras nostras patentes; sub magno sigillo nostro in forma sequenti, fieri faciatis. Rex, etc. Dilecto sibi in Christo magistro Johanni Dunmowe in jure civili doctori, salutem. Sciatis quod nos, de discretione fidelitate et industria vestris, plenam in domino fiduciam, habentes, ad prosequendum in Romana curia, pro nobis et nomine nostro, promotiones, quorumcumque clericorum nostrorum, ad ecclesias cathedrales, pro tempore vacaturas, per nos recommendatorum ad easdem; necnon ad gerenda, exercenda, et expedienda alia negotia nostra quæcumque, apud sedem apostolicam quomodolibet tangentia, cum potestate inducendi quascumque probationes requisitas in hoc casu, de avisamento magni concilii nostri, vos nostrum verum legitimum et indubitatum procuratorem, actorem, factorem, negotiatorem, gestorem et nuntium specialem, constituimus, præficimus et creamus per præsentes, cum emolumentis et salario ejusdem officii consuetis. Injungentes et firmiter mandantes quibuscumque ligeis nostris, apud sedem eandem, pro tempore existentibus, cujuscumque status, gradus seu conditionis existant, quatinus vobis in executione præmissorum, cum suis sanis consiliis, auxiliis

1 Hen. VII. et favoribus effectualiter obediant et intendant, prout decet. In cujus rei, etc. Datum, sub privato sigillo apud palatium nostrum Westmonasterii, vicesimo die Novembris, anno regni nostri primo. 20 Nov. P. S. No. 498. Pat. p. 1. m. 3 (33). Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16). 1485.

Licence to William Focray, custumer or collector of the customs and subsidies in the ports of Exeter and Dertemouthe, and in the ports and places to the same adjoining, to purchase and sell merchandize, and import and export the same, &c., &c., without incurring any of the penalties set out in a prohibitory statute made and published in the Parliament lately held at Westminster touching custumers, &c. 23 Nov. P. S. No. 499. 24 Nov.

Grant, during pleasure, to Henry Norrys, one of the marshall's of the king's hall, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Bawtry, co. York, lately held by John Whitladale. 17 Nov. P. S. No. 500. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35). 24 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Bevercotes ("in considera- "cioun of the true and feithfulle service that oure "humble subgiect hath doone unto us of tyme passed, "and in especial in oure victorious feld, for the sub- "duying of oure ennemyes"), of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day (14*l.* thereof from the fee-farm of Darlington and Ragnell, co. Notts., and 4*l.* 5*s.* at the receipt of the Exchequer). 23 Nov. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 24 Nov.

Presentation of Thomas Tremayn, priest, to the parsonage of Ilfercombe, co. Devon, void by the death of the last incumbent thereof, and in the patronage of the Crown. 25 Nov. P. S. No. 501. 24 Nov.

Grant to William Tonstall, esq., of the farm of the manor or lordship of Northstede, near Scardburgh, co. York, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 16*l.* Orig. m. 13. 24 Nov.

Exemption to the prior and convent of the (monastery) and church of St. Mary and All Saints of Clifford, in 25 Nov.

1485. the marches of Wales, Hereford dioc. (upon a representation made by them that their church is so poorly endowed with spiritual and temporal possessions that the profits and revenues thereof scarcely provide for the due performance of Divine service daily, and other works of charity), from collecting, &c. any tenths, &c. granted to the Crown by the clergy or otherwise; and grant that if in any emergency direction should be given to them to make any such collections, &c., the production of these letters patent to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer shall be a sufficient discharge and acquittance therefrom. 22 Nov. P. S. No. 502. Pat. p. 2. m. 19 (7). 1 Hen. VII.

25 Nov. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequiere greting. And forasmoche as oure right trusty counsaillour Raynold Bray, knight, at oure specialle commaundement hath bought and purveyed for us certaine stuffures, and payed for the same the somme of ccclviij. li. xxiij. d., as more at large may appere by twoo severalle billes herein closed; and for the which he hath not perceyved of us any maner payment. We wolle therefore and straitly charge you, that ye without delaye content and paye unto the saide counsailloure the foresaide somme of ccclviij. li. xxiij. d. in redy money, without prest or othere charge to be sette upon him for the same. And thise oure letters shalbe to you in this behalf warrant sufficient and discharge. Yeven undere oure prive seelle, at oure paloys of Westminster, the xxv. day of Novembre, the furst yere of oure reigne.

Delivered for the king, the xxxth day of August, the furst yere of his reign :—

Furst, xi. yerdes cloth of gold, riche; price the yerde, vi. li. ii. s. - lxvii. li. ii. s.

Item, xii. yerdes saten, blak, for the inside of the same; price the yerd, xi. s. - vi. li. xii. s.

1 Hen. VII. Item, iiij. yerdes đi cloth of gold, purpille, riche; the yerd vi. ℔. ii. s. - xxvii. ℔. ix. s. 1485.

Item, v. yerdes cloth of gold, purpille; the yerd, lxvi. s. viii. đ. - xvi. ℔. xiii. s. iiij. đ.

Item, x. yerdes satene, blak, for the inside of ii. short gownes; price the yerd, ix. s. - iiij. ℔. x. s.

Item, ii. yerdes đi satene, blak, for a doublet for the king; the yerd, xvi. s. - xl. s.

Item, ii. yerdes satene, crymesyn; price the yerd, xxvi. s. viii. đ. - lxvi. s. viii. đ.

Item, ix. yerdes satene, blak, for iiij. doublettes; price the yerd, xi. s. - iiij. ℔. xix. s.

Item, ix. elles holand for shirtes for the king; price the elle, iiij. s. viij. đ. - xlii. s.

Item, for the stuf for the doublettes, iij. elles hawstrete; price the elle, vi. đ. - xviii. đ.

Item, iii. elles flemyshe; the elle, xvi. đ. - iiij. s.

Item, iii. elles braban; price the elle, ix. đ. - ii. s. iij. đ.

Item, ii. yerdes hawstrete; the yerd, x. đ. - xx. đ.

Item, i. elle hawstrete - vi. đ.

Item, x. yerdes velvet, blak, for a gowne for Maister Conwey; the yerd, xvi. s. - viij. ℔.

Item, i. ℔. coton - v. đ.

Item, i. ℔. foring wex - viij. đ.

Item, xi. yerdes velvet, tawney, for a long gowne for the king; the yerd, xviij. s. iiij. đ. - x. ℔. xx. đ.

Item, xi. yerdes saten, violette, for the inside of the same; price the yerd, xvi. s. viij. đ. - ix. ℔. iij. s. iiij. đ.

Item, xviij. yerdes sarcenet, chaungeable, for lynyng of iii. gownes; the yerd, v. s. iiij. đ. - iiij. ℔. xvi. s.

Item, i. pece of chamlet for a gowne for Maister David Philip - xxxviii. s.

Item, to a silkewoman for ij. unces silke, ℈ for laces and poyntes for the king - vi. s. iiij. đ.

1485. Item, i. pece of brodereban for girdelles, xxii. yerdes— vi. s. 1 Hen. VII.

Item, ij. lb. of blewe, rede, and di lb. of white— iij. s. iiij. d.

Item, to John Englissh the iiijth day of Septembre, for vi. doublettes, xiij. yerdes satin, blak; the yerd, x. s.— vij. li. xv. s.

Item, vj. yerdes canvas; price the yerd, iiij. d. - ii. s.

Item, vij. yerdes lynen cloth, price the yerd, vii. d.— iiij. s. i. d.

Item, to John Englissh, the vijth day of Septembre, xi. yerdes velvet, blak, for a long gowne for the king; the yerd, xxv. s. - xiij. li. xv. s.

Item, a fyne chamlet, blak, for a gowne for Mathewe Baker - xxxviij. s. iiij. d.

Item, for the inside of the same, vj. yerdes sarcenet, chaungeable; price the yerd, v. s. iiij. d. - xxxii. s.

Item, by John Englissh, for ij. doublettes, iiij. yerdes iij. quarters chamlet, blew; the yerd, iii. s. - xiiij. s. iii. d.

Item, by John Englissh, for iij. doublettes, vj. yerdes chamlet, blak; the yerd, iij. s. - xviij. s.

Item, iiij. elles lynen cloth; the elle, viij. d. - ii. s. viij. d.

Item, ii. yerdes i. quarter crymesyne in grayne; the yerd, xvi. s. - xxxvi. s.

Item, iij. yerdes fyne blak; the yerde, xiii. s. iiij. d.— xl. s.

Item, delivered for the king to Maister Cheyny:—

Furst, to make roses for hors harnesse, iij. yerdes of velvet, crymesyne; price the yerd, xv. s. - lij. s. vi. d.

Item, by Frauncis Denys, for tappetes for the hensemen, vij. yerdes di; price the yerd, iiij. s. - xxx. s.

Item, for horse harnes & the hensemennes gownes, ij. peces cloth of gold, grene, xi., viij., i. quarter di, summa xix. yerdes i. quartier di; the yerd, lxvi. s. viij. d.— lxiiij. li. xi. s. viij. d.

1 Hen. VII. Item, for the hensemennes sleves of theire gownes, iiij. yerdes iii. quartiers đi, velvet, crymesyne; the yerd, xiiij. š. iiij. đ. - iiij. ħi. ix. š. vi. đ. 1485.

Item, xxi. tente armyns for the horse harnesse, ϒ the gownes of the hensemen - xxviij. ħi.

Item, for horse harnes for the kinges owne horse, ϒ stirop ledders to the same, iiij. yerdes velvet, crymesyne; the yerd, xxvi. š. viij. đ. - v. ħi. vi. š. viij. đ.

Item, for a fote cloth for the king, iiij. yerdes iij. quarters đi velvet, blak; price the yerd, xiiij. š.— lxviij. š. iiij. đ.

Item, vi. yerdes bokeram, to lyne the same; the yerd, vi. đ. - iij. š.

Item, for a horse harnes for the kinges hoby, iij. yerdes velvet, crymesyne; the yerd, xxvi. š. viij. đ. - iiij. ħi.

Item, delivered to John Englissh sythen the kinges commyng to towne :—

Item, viij. yerdes velvet, blak, for a demy gowne; the yerd, xvi. š. viij. đ. - vi. ħi. xiij. š. iiij. đ.

Item, ii. yerdes i. quarter chamlet, tawny; the yerd, iij. š. - vi. š. ix. đ.

Item, ij. yerdes iii. quarters chamlet; the yerd, iii. š.— viij. š. iij. đ.

Item, iij. elles đi canvas; price the elle, iiij. đ. - xiiij. đ.

Item, xiij. yerdes fyne blak chamlet, for a cloke for the king; price the yerd, v. š. iiij. đ. - lxix. š. iiij. đ.

Item, ij. yerdes đi saten, blak, for a doublet; the yerd, xvi. š. - xl. š.

Item, vi. yerdes i. quarter velvet, blak, for a short gowne for the king; the yerd, xxv. š. - vii. ħi. xvi. š. iii. đ.

Item, i. yerd đi velvet, blak, for the lynyng of the cape of the cloke; price the yerd, xvi. š.

Item, ij. elles hawstrete; price the elle, vij. đ. - xiiij. đ.

Summa totalis, cccxxxvi. ħi. xviii. š. iiii. đ.

1485. My moost dradde souveraigne Lord King Henry the vijth, oweth unto me Richard Joskyne, citezin of London thies parcelles ensuyng, which parcelles were delivered unto John Englissh, servaunt unto my saide souveraigne Lord, anno primo :— 1 Hen. VII.

In primis, delivered the vth daie of Septembre last passed, x. yerdes ℈ iij. quartiers of crymsyn in grayne; the yerd, xi. s., for gentilmen servauntes, summa—v. li. xviij. s. iii. d.

Item, the vith daie of the same moneth, for ij. yerdes quarter blak; the yard, x. s., for a gowne for Maister Mathewe, sewer to the kinges grace - xxii. s. vi. d.

Item, the ixth daie of the same moneth, for vi. yerdes medley; the yerd, iij. s. viii. d., for John Elyot, Guillam Gaynard, and Pety John of the stable - xxii. s.

Item, for a yerd di of fyne crymsyn in grayne; the yerd, xiii. s. iiij. d., for hoses for the kinges grace, taken the daye abovesaid - xx. s.

Item, the same time, for ij. yerdes fyne streit blake; the yerd, v. s.; for anothre paire hoses for the kinges grace - x. s.

Item, the same tyme, for oon yerde di redde; the yerd, v. s., for a ryding gowne for John Englissh— vij. s. vj. d.

Item, for ij. yerdes iij. quarters violet in grayne; the yerd, x. s., fette by Thomas Wyndowt, at John Englissh commaundement. I suppose it was for Maister Davy.— xxvii. s. vi. d.

Item, for vi. yerdes light tawney; the yerd, iiij. s. iiij. d., for servitours unto the kinges grace, fette by John Englissh - xxvi. s.

Item, the xth daye of Septembre, for ii. yerdes ℈ a quarter crymsyn in grayne; the yerd, xi. s., for a gentilman, takene by John Englissh - xxiiij. s. ix. d.

Item, xiiith daye of the same moneth, for iiij. yerdes of the forsaid light tawney; the yerd, iiij. s. iiij. d., for servitours, by John Englissh - xvij. s. iiij. d.

1 Hen. VII. Item, the same daye, for ii. yerdes blake ; the yerd, v. s., for lynyng for a cloke for the kinges grace, taken by Johñ Englissh - xv. s. 1485.

Item, for xv. yerdes quarter blak kersey ; the yerd, ij. s. iiij. d., for the whiche I leyd oute money to the hosyer, atte Johñ Englissh commaundement— xxxv. s. vii. d.

Item, I payed to the saide hosyer that sold the kersey abovesaid, for ii. yerdes and di plonket kersey, the yerd - iiij. s. ii. d.

Item, I payed for a yerd white lynyng, for hoses for the kinges grace - xii. d.

Item, the xx^th^ daye of Septembre, for iiij. yerdes of fyne skarlet, whiche was sent into Fraunce ; price the yerd, xviij. s. - iij. li. xii. s.

Summa totalis, xxi. li. iij. s. vii. d.

S. B. No. 86.

Grant, for life, to Osborn Wallington, groom of the king's buttery, of the offices of warrenner of Cokeham and Bray, and woodward there, co. Berks. 6 Nov. P. S. No. 503. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17). 25 Nov.

Grant, during pleasure, to Edward Vavasour, of the office of bailiff of the lordships of Busseby, Faceby, and Carleton, co. York, with wages of 3*d.* a day out of the same lordships. 9 Nov. P. S. No. 504. Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30). 25 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Piers Stanley, esq., of the offices of constable of the castle of Hardelagh and sheriff of the county of Merionneth, with wages, fees, &c. out of the issues of the county of Carnarvan, by the hands of the chamberlain and barons there. 22 Nov. P. S. No. 505. 25 Nov.

Grant, for life, to John, earl of Oxford, of the office of keeper of the lions, lionesses, and leopards in the Tower of London, with a salary of 12*d.* a day, and 6*d.* a day for the support of each of the beasts, out of the issues of the city of London and county of Middlesex. S. B. No. 87. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 25 Nov.[1]

[1] See Sept. 22.

1485. 25 Nov. Grant, for life, to Thomas Creys, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber ("in consideration of the true and "feythfull service that oure welbeloved servaunt hath "doone unto us, aswele in the parties beyond the see as "within this our royaume at our victorious feld and "ellswhere and hereafter during his life entendeth to "do,"), of the office of searcher within the ports of Margate and Feversham, co. Kent, with wages, &c. out of the customs and subsidies of the same ports. 24 Nov. P. S. No. 506. 1 Hen. VII.

25 Nov. Grant to Thomas Corbet, esq., of the office of constable of the castle of Cawse, co. Salop, during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. 24 Nov. P. S. No. 507.

25 Nov. Grant to Richard Hill, clk., of the custody of the manor of Fordyngton, co. Dorset., for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 70*l.* 12*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 19.

25 Nov. Grant to John Fynkell, citizen and alderman of the city of London, of the custody of the town, port, and lordship of Newbiging, alias Newebigingis, near Woodhorne, co. Northumberland, with all profits, &c. thereto belonging which have come to the hands of the Crown either through the forfeiture of John Balioll, late king of the Scots, or through the death of Maria de St. Paul, late countess of Pembroke, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 10*l.* 11*s.* 4*d.*, and an improved yearly rent of 4*d.* Orig. m. 22.

26 Nov. Grant, for life, to Master Christopher Urswyke, clk., the king's almoner, of the office of keeper or master of the college called King's Hall, within the University of Cambridge, with all rights and profits and eight marks for two robes out of the issues of the counties of Cambridge and Hunts., such as keepers of the same college enjoyed temp. Edw. III. (upon the surrender of Henry Bost, who had a grant of the same office, for life, from King Edward IV.). 25 Nov. P. S. No. 508. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22).

1 Hen. VII. General pardon to John Oxbourgh, or Oxborowe, of Swafham Market, co. Norfolk, husbandman, alias, &c.; restitution also of goods. Pat. p. 2. m. 25 (1). 1485. 26 Nov.

Oxon and Berks. Restitution of temporalities on the election of Robert Oseney, a canon thereof, as abbot of the monastery of St. Mary of Oseney, of the order of St. Augustine, Lincoln dioc.; his fealty to be taken by Richard Croftes, esq. 26 Nov.

Concurrent writs for the following places:—Gloucestershire and the marches of Wales adjoining thereto; Staffordshire; Buckinghamshire; Northamptonshire; the city of London; the knights and freemen of the abbey. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 (15).

Grant, during good behaviour, to William Denton (for service as well to the king as to his most dear mother), of the office of one of the king's carvers, with wages of 40*l.* a year for executing the same office. 9 Nov. P. S. No. 509. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20). 26 Nov.

Writ of liberate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer, in pursuance of the above. 22 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to the guardian and convent of the Friars Minors of Oxford, of a yearly sum of 50 marks, to be received at the Exchequer (the king's progenitors from Edward I. downwards having, by letters patent out of their charity and alms, allowed the same). 26 Nov. P. S. No. 510. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32). 27 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Roger Cheyne, esq., of the offices of keeper of the park of the lordship or manor and of the woods of Hamsted Marshal, co. Berks.; also grant of the office of collector of the issues, &c. of the said lordship or manor, during pleasure. 10 Nov. P. S. No. 511. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35). 28 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Browne, yeoman of the king's larder, of the corrody going out of the monastery of Tavistoke, co. Devon., which late one John Penvonne had. 23 Sept. P. S. No. 512. 28 Nov

Grant, during pleasure, to the guardian and convent of the Friars Minors, in the University of Cambridge, of a 28 Nov.

1485. yearly sum of 25 marks, to be received at the Exchequer (the king's progenitors from Henry III. downwards having, by their letters patent out of their charity and alms, allowed the same). 27 Nov. P. S. No. 513. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32). 1 Hen. VII.

28 Nov. Presentation of John Neweman, clk., to the parish church of Yarlyngton, Bath and Wells dioc., *vice* Master Thomas Chauntry, resigned. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22).

28 Nov. Grant, in survivorship, to Edmund Weston and Thomas Saintmartyn, esquires (in consideration of good and gratuitous services performed by them, with great labour and great personal cost to themselves), of the office of captain, keeper, and governor of the island of Guernesey and the castle of Cornet, and of the other islands and places in those parts, viz. Aulreney, Serke, Erine, and Gethowe, and the castles and fortresses within the same; grant also, for executing the same office and looking after the defence of the said islands, &c., of all the possessions belonging to the Crown in the same islands and the revenues thereof, without rendering any accompt therefore. Power granted to appoint all bailiffs, porters, and other officers and ministers who may be found necessary, &c. 24 Nov. P. S. No. 514. Pat. p. 2. m. 20 (6).

28 Nov. Commission to John Stanney, gent., to be deputy to John Fortescu, knt., chief butler of England, at Chichester. Certain persons are commissioned in different ports. The entry left imperfect. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 (15).

28 Nov. Grant to John Watson of the custody of the castle or lordship of Somerton Castell, co. Linc., for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 40 marks. Orig. m. 22.

28 Nov. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to the guardian and convent of the Friars Minors of Oxford the arrears of a sum of 50 marks a year, granted to them by the king, for Michaelmas term last past. S. B. No. 88.

29 Nov. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to the guardian and convent of the Friars Minors in the University of Cambridge the arrears of a

1 Hen.VII. sum of 25 marks a year, granted to them by the king, 1485.
for Michaelmas term last past. S. B. No. 89.

Presentation of Master Thomas Mansfeld, the king's 29 Nov.
chaplain, to the parsonage of Melton Roos, co. Linc., void by decease of the last incumbent thereof, and in the presentation of the Crown rightfully. 28 Nov. P. S. No. 515. Pat. p. 1. m. 7 (29).

Grant, for life, to William Wrexham, clk., of the mas- 29 Nov.
tership and keepership of the hospital or free chapel of St. Katherine, near the Tower of London (the king being most anxious to ratify and confirm the estate, possession, interest, and occupancy which heretofore belonged or now does belong to the same William in the said hospital, and being very desirous that he should not be disturbed therein during his life, through any right or title possessed by the Crown thereto). 16 Nov. P. S. No. 516. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35).

General pardon and release to John Cutte, of London, 29 Nov.
gentleman, for all manner of offences committed before the date hereof, and from all the consequences attaching thereto. 25 Nov. P. S. No. 517. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17).

Grant to the king's "welbeloved servaunt and squiere" 29 Nov.
John Pigge, of the offices of receiver, during pleasure, and master of the works, for life, of the lordship of Wakefeld, co. York, and bailiff of Wragby, co. Linc., during pleasure. P. S. No. 518.

Grant to Robert Lancastre of the offices of bailiff of 29 Nov.
the town of Penreth, during pleasure, and porter of the castle there, co. Cumb., for life. 19 Nov. P. S. No. 519. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9).

Pardon to Thomas Metkalf (Metcalffe, or Metkalffe, of 29 Nov.
Nappey, esq., touching all offences against the statutes forbidding badges, liveries of cloths and caps, and retinues: further pardon of suit of the king's peace touching all offences. S. B. No. 90.

The like for Miles Metkaff, or Metkalff, or Metecalf, of 29 Nov.
York. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17).

1485. 29 Nov. Grant to Ralph Hakulite, esq., of the office of steward of the lordship of Fownehoope, co. Hereford, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warrewik. 24 Nov. P. S. No. 520. Pat. p. 2. m. 23 (3). 1 Hen. VII.

29 Nov. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. We wolle and charge you that unto oure welbeloved subgettes John Fox, parson of Wyderby, and John Atherston, gentilman, ye pay and delivere in redy money, anoone upone the sight hereof, the somme of threscore twelf poundes two shillinges and four pens sterlinges, which we of our charite have appointed them to have, and to delyvere the same to certaine towneships, which susteygned losses of their cornes and graynes by us and oure companye at oure late victorious feld, for their due recompense in that behalf; that is to say, Atherstoñ, twenty poundes; Widerby, xiij. li.; Atertoñ, viij. li. x. s.; Fenydraytoñ, xx. li.; Manseter, v. li. xix. s.; Atherstoñ, iiij. li. xiij. s. iiij. d. Nat setting any prest or othere charge upon theme or any of theme for the same, any acte, ordenaunce, or restraint made to the contrary not withstanding. And thise oure lettres shalbe youre sufficient warrant in that partie. Yeven undere oure prive seelle at our palois of Westminster the xxix. day of Novembre, the furst yere of our reigne. S. B. No. 91.

30 Nov. Presentation of James Fitz Harr, chaplain to the parish church of St. John of Evelchestre, Bath and Wells dioc., *vice* John Banys, deceased. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9).

30 Nov. General pardon and release to Richard Pole, late of London, esq., of all manner of offences committed by him, and from all the consequences attaching thereto: restitution also of lands, &c. P. S. No. 521. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22).

30 Nov. Inspeximus and confirmation of a patent, dated 19 Feb., 5 Edw. IV. (p. 1. m. 26), granting to the abbot and

1 Hen. VII. convent of Croylande the custody of their abbey and its temporalities during voidance, on payment of 20*l.* for every voidance thereof. Pat. p. 2. m. 23 (3). 1485.

Presentation of Thomas Goodlake, clk., to the parish of Preston, Lincoln dioc., *vice* Robert Grymston, resigned. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 30 Nov.

Grant, for life, to Brian Sandeford, of the offices of steward and general receiver of the lordship of Castre, co. Linc., in the parts of Lyndesey; also grant of the offices of steward of the lordship of Knesall, co. Notts., and parker of the park there, during the minority of the son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham. 23 Sept. P. S. No. 522. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18). 30 Nov.

Grant to John Hayes, of the office of receiver of all the lordships, manors, lands, and tenements, cos. Cornwall, Devon, Somerset, Dorset, Wilts., and Hants., called Salesburys landes and Spensers landes, with wages, &c. of 20 marks per annum out of the above lands; further grant of the custody of the woods of Bentley and Melchette, co. Wilts., with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the lordships of Ambresbury and Wynterbourne; all which premises are in the hands of the Crown, owing to the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, who was the wife of George, late duke of Clarence; to hold the above offices during such minority, and as long as the same premises shall be in the hands of the Crown. 10 Sept.[1] Pat. p. 2. m. 20 (6). 30 Nov.

Grant to Adam Penyngton, of the custody of certain closes called Warmorton, Better Hesketh, Warreheskith, Wolleikis, Nonneclose, Heyclose, Colteclose, and Blabornhgtwaite, within the forest of Inglewode, co. Cumb., for seven years, at a yearly rent of 16*l.*, and an improved yearly rent of 20*d.* Orig. m. 14. 30 Nov.

[1] See a P.S. dated 10 Sept., delivered 30 Sept., and enrolled 20 Sept. (Pat. p. 1. m. 14 (22), granting the same things.

1485. 30 Nov. Grant to Edmund Willy and Thomas Hopkyns of the custody of a pasture commonly called le Park de Seint Brevellis, and of a close called Instriddyng, also the herbage of a certain pasture called Walmore, within the forest of Dean, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 54*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 4*d.* for the park, and a yearly rent of 13*s.* and an improved yearly rent of 4*d.* for the close and herbage. Orig. m. 15. 1 Hen. VII.

1 Dec. Grant, for life, to Randolph Sandford, of the office of steward of the lordship of Donyngton, co. York, with wages such as Sir Gilbert Debenham had in the same office. 29 Nov. P. S. No. 523. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2).

1 Dec. Grant to Thomas, cardinal archbishop of Canterbury, of the custody of the possessions late belonging to Henry, earl of Essex, who held of Edw. IV. in capite by knight's service, and of the possessions of Isabella, late countess of Essex, deceased, and the wardship and marriage of their heir Henry, now earl of Essex: provision made in case the said archbishop shall be deprived of the above by any act of resumption or otherwise. Further grant of a yearly sum of 20*l.* during the minority above said. Also grant of all the profits, &c. of the said possessions, from the death of the said Henry, earl of Essex, and countess of Essex, without accompt, &c. 28 Nov. P. S. No. 524. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (19).

1 Dec. Grant, for life, to Thomas Hunt of the office of keeper of Sandford Ferry, co. Oxon., with wages, &c. such as were enjoyed by John Polen, in the same office. 25 Nov. P. S. No. 525. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17).

1 Dec. Grant, for life, to Sir Edward Stanley, knight of the king's body, of the office of keeper of the park of Parlaunt, otherwise called the New Park of Langley, co. Bucks., with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Langley Maresse. 29 Nov. P. S. No. 526.

1 Dec. Restitution of temporalities to Richard Holbech, a monk of the house, as abbot of the monastery of Thorney

1 Hen. VII. *vice* John Murcot, deceased. 30 Nov. P. S. No. 527. 1485.
Pat. p. 2. m. 23 (3).

Letter from John, bishop of Lincoln, to the king asking for the restitution of temporalities above granted. Dated at the bishop's inn or dwelling house in Holbourne. 29 Nov. 1485. P. S. No. 528.

Writs to the escheators of Lincolnshire, Northamptonshire, and Rutland; Middlesex, Cambridgeshire, and Hunts.; Warwickshire and Bedfordshire; and to the tenants, &c. of the abbey, in conformity with the above. 1 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Croft (in consideration of good and diligent service to the king at his "most "victorious feld," to his labours, costs, and jeopardies), of the office of ranger in the forest of Wichwode, co. Oxford, with such wages, &c. as Edward Hargyll had therewith, out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Oxford and Berks. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14). 1 Dec.[1]

Bond from Ralph Nevyle, earl of Westmoreland, to the king for 200*l.* sterling, to be paid at Christmas, A.D. 1486. Cl. No. 76. 1 Dec.

Bond from Ralph Nevyle, earl of Westmoreland, to the king for 200*l.* sterling, to be paid at the feast of the Purification of the Virgin Mary. Cl. No. 77. 1 Dec.

Bond from Ralph Nevyle, earl of Westmoreland, to the king for 400 marks sterling, to be paid at Michaelmas, A.D. 1487. Cl. No. 78. 1 Dec.

Pardon and release to Thomas Fulford, late of Fulford, co. Devon., knt., late sheriff of Somerset and Dorset, of all offences committed by him before the date hereof and from the penalties attaching thereto, as sheriff and otherwise. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 529. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32). 2 Dec.

Restitution of temporalities to Edmund Thorp (a monk of the house), abbot of the monastery of Croyland 2 Dec.

[1] See also under date 20 Sept.

1485. *vice* Lambert Fossedyke. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 530. Pat. 1 Hen. VII. p. 4. m. 10 (15).

Letter from John, bishop of Lincoln, to the king, asking for the restitution of temporalities above granted. Dated at the bishop's inn, in the Old Temple, London. 1 Dec. 1485.

Writs for the following counties:—Lincolnshire, Cambridge, and Hunts.; Northamptonshire, Leicestershire, and Hertfordshire; and to the knights and freemen of the abbey, in pursuance of the above.

2 Dec. Grant, in survivorship, to Thomas Barowe, esq., the king's chief cook, and John Colte, of the town of Berwick, of the offices of master of the ordnance and clerk of the works within the town of Berwick. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 531.

2 Dec. Presentation of Robert Kellet, clk., to the parish church of Ockeham, Winchester dioc., void by resignation of Thomas Burwell, last incumbent. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 532. Pat. p. 1. m. 4 (32).

2 Dec. [1] Grant, for life, to John Browne, of the office of steward or rider of the forest of Morff, co. Salop., with wages and fees at 4*d.* a day out of the issues of the mills of Pendelston, co. Salop., by the hands of the bailiffs of the town of Brigges for the time being, and all other profits to the said office pertaining. 18 Sept. P. S. No. 533. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35).

3 Dec. Appointment of Master Oliver Kyng, archdeacon of Oxford, as ambassador or commissioner on the part of King Henry VII. to meet such commissioners as Charles, king of France, may appoint, to agree upon and arrange for a further truce between the two countries upon the expiration of the truce now existing, which is from the

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[1] See another Privy Seal, dated 19 Sept., and delivered 25 Sept., in which the words 4*d.* a day after wages, &c., are omitted. The town of Brigges is also called Briggenorthe.

1 Hen. VII. 1st of October last to the 30th of September next. S. B. No. 92. 1485.

Licence to Nicholas Asteley, son of Philip Asteley, to alienate to Thomas Bede, dyer, Robert Lytton, gent., and Nicholas Radissh, one messuage and 10 shops in the parish of St. Sepulchre, without the bar of Westsmythfeld, London. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 3 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Robert King, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, &c. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 534. Pat. p. 2. m. 20 (6). 3 Dec.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay in ready money, upon the sight hereof, to John Sotborowe 20*l.* sterling, as a gift from the king. S. B. No. 93. 3 Dec.

Grant to the prior and convent of the Friars Carmelite within the town of Caleys of an annuity of 20 marks out of the issues, &c. of the town of Caleys (the king's progenitors from Edward III. downwards having allowed them that sum towards their help and support, and for Divine service to be performed there) 29 Nov. P. S. No. 535. 3 Dec.

Licence to Thomas Sutbury to take possession of the priory of St. Andrew, Northampton, whereunto he had been lawfully elected, 13 Edw. IV. (Pat. 13 Edw. IV p. 2. m. 14) and confirmed, notwithstanding any grant or confirmation thereof made to William Brekenok by authority of Henry VI. or any of his Parliaments. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22). 4 Dec.

Grant to John, earl of Oxford, great chamberlain and admiral of England, and John Tyrell, esq., of the advowson and presentation to the next vacant prebend in the chapel of St. Stephen, in the palace of Westminster. S. B. No. 94. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 (15). 4 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Nicholas Barley, of the city of London, skinner, of the office of skinner to the king, with wages out of the fee-farm of the city of London 4 Dec.

1485. and county of Midd. 28 Nov. P. S. No. 536. Pat. 1 Hen. VII. p. 2. m. 4 (22).

4 Dec. Grant to William Birkhed of the custody of a tenement with a garden, &c. in the parish of St. Giles without Crepulgate, in the suburbs of London, containing in length, from Grubstrete towards the east, 115 feet, and in breadth, at the east end, 20 ft. 9 in., and at the west end, 21 ft., for seven years, at a yearly rent of 13*s.* 4*d.*, and an improved yearly rent of 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 12.

5 Dec. Grant to Thomas Makworth, one of the grooms of the king's chamber, of the office of bailiff of Mynsterley, co. Salop, during pleasure, and the office called the "nedere" office, within the forest of Hakestowe, for life, with wages, &c. at the exchequer of Hakestowe. 2 Dec. P. S. No. 537. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18).

5 Dec. Grant, during pleasure, to William Warde, of the Chancery (in consideration of services to the king's uncle, Henry VI.), of all possessions in the parishes of St. Clement and our Lady of the Stronde, co. Midd., forfeited by Thomas Wharfe. S. B. No. 95. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35).

5 Dec. Exemption to John Broun, during his life, from being compelled to take upon him the office of a serjeant-at-law, by reason of any writ or precept from the king. S. B. No. 96.

5 Dec. Grant, in survivorship, to Hugh Brice, alderman and goldsmith, of London, and James Brice, his son, of the office of clerk of the mint money and exchange within the Tower of London, and the office of usher of the exchange there, with wages, &c. such as were received for the said offices in 51 Edw. III. and 1 Ric. II.; to be paid by the warden of the mint for the time being. 23 Sept. P. S. No. 538. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35).

5 Dec. Grant, during pleasure, to the prior and convent of the order of Friars Preachers in the University of Oxford, of 50 marks a year out of the issues, &c. of the counties

1 Hen. VII. of Somerset and Dorset, in aid of the support of the doctrine of the Catholic faith, and that special prayers may be offered up for the king's good estate, and for the souls of his progenitors (the king's progenitors from Edw. I. downwards having by their letters patent, out of their alms and charity, allowed the same). 29 Nov. P. S. No. 539. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35). 1485.

Appointment of John Arundell, dean of the cathedral of St. Peter, Exeter, Richard Eggecombe, knt., comptroller of the king's household, the king's councillors, and Master John Baldiswell, clerk of the king's council, as commissioners to undertake all matters concerning the Crown in the town of Calais, the tower of Risebanke, the town and castle of Guynis, the castle of Hammes, and the marches of the same, to administer the same, to bring the people to obedience, &c. S. B. No. 97. 5 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Westbury, of the office of bailiff or forester of Burley, in the New Forest, co. Southampton, with wages, &c. such as Edward Berkeley had in the same office. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 540. 5 Dec.

Quitclaim (in consideration of the losses described below) to Henry, the prior, and the convent of St. Mary of Lanthony, near Gloucester, from the payment of a yearly rent of 4*l.* for the manor of Bermuton, co. Glouc. (set out in a patent granted to them by Hen. III.), and a further sum of 13*s.* 4*d.*, both sums yearly payable to the Crown at the manor of Woodstock, co. Oxon; also grant in frankalmoign of a meadow called Gweyrelede Vaur, of the yearly value of 10*s.*, within the manor or lordship of Gweas, and a moor within the same manor called in Welsh Werne Vaure, of the yearly value of 12*d.* This patent is granted on the following recital:—In the reign of Henry III. the said convent was seized, as in fee, of certain messuages, tenements, and ditches within the town of Gloucester, near the castle there, and of a rent of 31*s.* 10*d.* issuing from certain other messuages and tenements there, and at the time of the 5 Dec.

1485. war called "le Baron's werre," certain rebels having assaulted the said town and castle, the king ordered the said premises to be levelled, as they afforded protection to the rebels and endangered his men in the castle. Afterwards, wishing to compensate the said convent for their loss, Hen. III. directed that writs should issue out of the Chancery to the sheriff of Gloucester, to inquire what amount of damage they had sustained. It was thereupon certified into Chancery that their loss was 31*s.* 10*d.*, as it appears on record in the court of Chancery, and in the letters patent of Ric. II., the king's progenitor. 3 Dec. P. S. No. 541. Pat. p. 2. m. 19 (7). 1 Hen. VII.

5 Dec. To alle men to whome this present wrytyng shalle come, Rauffe, erle of Westmerlond, sendes gretyng, in oure Lord God. Know ye, me, the forseyd erle, to have graunted to the most excellent and famous prynce Kyng Henry the VIIth, oure most drade soverayne lord, the kepyng, ruele, and maryage, without dysperysshyng, of Rauffe, myne eldest sone and heyre apparant, to have at wylle and pleasure of oure seyde soveraigne lorde. In wytnesse whereof, to this my wrytyng I have put my sealle. Yevene the vth day of December, the firste yere of the reigne of oure sayd soveraigne lord. Cl. No. 79.

5 Dec. Inspeximus and confirmation of letters patent dated Westminster, 20 June, 14 Edw. IV., granting to the prior and convent of the Holy Trinity, in Lenton, near Nottingham, of the order of Cluny, York dioc., 10*l.* sterling a year out of the fee-farm of the town of Arnoll', during the life of Leonard Say, son of John Say, knt., or until they shall come into possession of a chapel with other premises mentioned in the recital. The recital is to the following effect:—

By letters patent dated 10 Aug., 11 Edw. IV., the free chapel within the castle of Tickhill, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, was granted by the king to the above-

1 Hen. VII. mentioned Say for life. By subsequent letters patent the king granted that whenever the same chapel should be void by the death of Say, the prior and convent above mentioned should have the same and the custody thereof, with all things pertaining thereto; to hold in pure alms for ever, in compensation for a certain chapel of St. Mary called le Roche, and all the lands and tenements within the pale thereof belonging to the said prior and convent, and also for two closes, called le Roche closes, on the south side of the water of Leene, lying opposite to the same chapel, and two little parcels of meadow adjoining, to the same closes, granted to the king by the same prior and convent; and also for release and remission from three cartloads of wood per diem in Beskwode within the forest of Shirwode, which the said prior and convent and their successors at the first foundation of their monastery had taken and had towards the expenses of their household from the founders thereof. Leonard Say lives on, and the said prior and convent do not obtain possession of the said chapel. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 542. 1485.

Confirmation to the provost and fellows of the College of Jesus of Rotherham, in the county and diocese of York, of the patent dated 26 Nov., 1 Hen. VII., under seal of the duchy of Lancaster, granting to them in frank-almoign, the advowson of the parish of Almondebury, in the same county and diocese, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster and honor of Pountfret, and mortmain licence to Thomas, archbishop of York, the founder of that college, to appropriate the aforesaid advowson. Pat. p. 3. m. 22 (6). 5 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Richard Stanley, of the office of one of the four foresters of Thorne, now void and in the gift of the Crown through the death of one Bensone, with wages, &c. out of the lordship of Thorne. 5 Nov. 2 Dec. P. S. No. 543. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35).[1] 5 Dec.

[1] Patent dated 5 Nov.

1485. 5 Dec. Grant, for life, to John Paunton, esq., of the office of keeper of the park of Sodbury, co. Glouc. 30 Nov. P. S. No. 544. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 1 Hen. VII.

5 Dec. Grant to Walter Hayle of the office called the over office, in the forest of Hokestowe, co. Salop., during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham. 30 Nov. P. S. No. 545. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17).

6 Dec. Grant, in survivorship, to William Morton and William More, of the office of embroiderer to the king, with wages &c. out of the issues, &c. of the county of Kent, a livery from the wardrobe in the winter, &c. Nov. 29. P. S. No. 546. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18).

6 Dec. Grant, for life, to John Hays, of the office of feodary of all the possessions pertaining to the earldom of Salisbury and honor of Wynkeleghe, called Glowceter fee, within the counties of Devon, Cornwall, Somerset, Dorset, Wilts., and Southampton. Nov. 29. P. S. No. 547. Pat. p. 2. m. 20 (6).

6 Dec. Grant, for life, to Adam Penyngton, of the office called the chief bailiff of the franchise in Copeland, co. Cumb., with the Middelwarde in fee, with wages, &c. in as ample a manner as Sir John Penyngton, grandfather of the grantee, heretofore enjoyed. 4 Dec. P. S. No. 548. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2).

6 Dec. Special livery and licence of entry, without proof of age, for John Iwarby, esq., and Sanchea his wife, Edward Iwarby, esq., son of the said John Iwarby, and Elizabeth his wife, and Anne Carewe : the said Sanchea, Elizabeth, and Anne being sisters and heirs of Nicholas Carewe, late of Bedington, co. Surrey, deceased, and daughters of Nicholas Carewe formerly of the same place. Pat. p. 3. m. 22 (6).

6 Dec. Beatissime pater, post humillimam commendationem et pedum oscula beatissimorum. Post ultimas quas ad sanctissimum patrem scripsi litteras, quo ad statum rerum istarum nichil aut parum est innovatum. Agitur

1 Hen. VII. enim publicus regni conventus, quem dicunt Parliamentum, pro regni informatione, in quo aliqua sunt acta et in primis generalis abolitio omnium adversus regem commissorum. Comes Northumbriæ qui captus et incarceratus fuerat est liberatus, sub cautione tamen omnium prælatorum et dominorum temporalium ac etiam plebeiorum. Comes Sudræ adhuc detinetur. Sed audio quod est hic liberabitur; filia major natu regis Edwardi declarata est ducissa Eboracensis. Asseritur constanter quod rex eam sit ducturus in uxorem, quod omnes arbitrantur futurum regno saluberrimum. Rex ipse prudentissimus habetur ac etiam clementissimus; omnia videntur ad pacem disposita, modo animi hominum sint constantes. Nichil enim magis est quod semper huic regno nocuit quam ambitio et cupiditas insatiabilis, quæ omnis infidelitatis atque inconstantiæ est mater, a qua si Deus nos liberaverit res regni hujus quietæ erunt. Cæterum, pater beatissime, humiliter supplico ut me commendatum S. V. suscipere dignetur atque ea concedere quæ ante me omnes collectores qui hic fuerunt sunt consecuti, facultates videlicet aliquas parvas et non multas, sine quibus et auctoritas languescit et res cameræ non potest utiliter geri; prosunt enim ad gratiam potentiorum michi conciliandam, sine qua nichil est quod bene in hoc officio agere possum. Dominus autem, S. V. eminentiæ suæ diu incolumem præservet. Londini, die vi. Decembris 1485. 1485.

Humilima et devotissima creatura,
Jo. de Giglis, collector in Anglia.

P.S.—Antequam has clauderem intellexi dominos Batenses et Sarisbruenses esse liberatos, amissis omnibus bonis, quod etsi antea intellexissem non scripsi quia pro certo non habebam; ambo omnibus sunt exosi et non immerito. Sunt hic nuntii regis Francorum, ducum Austriæ et Britanniæ; creditur quod cum illis pax futura sit.

1485. 6 Dec. Grant to William Gisburn, clk., of the free chapel of St. Mary of Gesemond, near Newcastle-upon-Tyne, *vice* John Lumley, deceased. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17). 1 Hen. VII.

6 Dec. General pardon to Ralph Scrope, late of Upsall, co. York, esq., alias Ralph le Scrope, son of Thomas Lescrope, of Masham, knt., alias Ralph Scrope, esq., late of the household of Richard III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

6 Dec. Grant, for life, to Thomas Cvn', of the office of one of the serjeants of the castle of St. Briavell', within the forest of Dean, co. Glouc., and (as a salary in the same office) a certain yearly rent of 13*s.* 4*d.*, which the abbot of the monastery of St. Mary of Flaxley is bound to pay the king at the said castle, at Michaelmas, for a certain water-mill called le Newmyll, within the said forest, and all wages, fees, &c. such as Robert Hyet heretofore had; also grant, for life, of the office of clerk of the court of St. Briavell', with wages, &c. such as the said Robert heretofore had. 5 Dec. P. S. No. 549. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9).

6 Dec. Grant to Ralph Hastinges, knt., of the custody of the office of the bailliage and of the hundred of Orlingbere, co. Northampton, with all emoluments pertaining thereto, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 8*l.*, and a yearly improved rent of 12*d.* Orig. m. 15.

7 Dec. Grant, for life, to James Boneython, of the office of surveyor of the custumers, comptrollers of customs, &c. in the ports of Pole, Exeter, Dertmouth, Plymmouth, Fowey, and Briggewater, with a salary of 20*l.* a year out of the customs and subsidies in the ports of Plymmouth and Fowey, a moiety of all forfeitures paid into the Exchequer, &c.: this appointment is declared to be necessary on account of great damages and losses sustained through want of faith on the part of merchants in declaring customs due, &c. S. B. No. 98.

7 Dec. Grant, in survivorship, to Robert Colanwode, esq., and John Colanwode, his son, farmers of the manor of

1 Hen. VII. Estlington, co. Northumb., of a yearly rent of 4*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.*, issuing out of the said manor, which rent the said Robert and John are bound to pay yearly to the Crown, viz., 4*l.* thereof to the sheriff of Northumb., and 16*s.* 8*d.* to the receiver of the castle of Bamburgh, and of the arrears thereof, without accompt. 6 Dec. P. S. No. 550. Pat. p. 3. m. 19 (9). 1485.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chamberlains of oure Eschequiere, greting. Whereas werily we understand that oure right welbeloved in God, thabbot of oure monastery of Miravalle, had and susteigned right gret hurtes, charges, and lossis, by occasioun of the gret repayre and resorte that oure people commyng toward oure late feld made, aswelle unto the house of Miravalle aforesaide as in going over his ground, to the destruccioun of his cornes and pastures. We late you wite, that we, in recompense of the same, have yeven and graunted unto him the somme of oone hundreth markes sterlinges, to be had and perceyved of our reward, wherefore we wolle and charge you that ye unto the saide abbot make contentacion and payment of the saide somme of oone hundreth markes in redy money, without prest or othere charge to be sette upon him for the same. And thise oure lettres shalbe youre sufficient warrant and discharge ayenst us in that behalf. Yeven under oure prive seelle, at oure paloys of Westminster, the vij. day Decembre, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 551. 7 Dec.

Grant, for life, to James Boneython (for services done to the king, as well in the parts beyond the sea as within this realm), of the office of surveyor of all the custumers, comptrollers, searchers, and sealers within the counties of Cornwall and Devon, with wages, &c. out of the customs and subsidies within the ports, havens, and creeks of Dertmouth, Falemouth, and Mountesbay, within the 7 Dec.

1485. said counties, in as ample a manner as John Taillour heretofore enjoyed. 4 Dec. P. S. No. 552. 1 Hen. VII.

7 Dec. Grant, in survivorship, to the king's beloved and faithful knight, John Radclyff Fitzwauter, steward of the king's household, and John Wyngfeld, knt., of the offices of steward of the honor of Richemond, co. Norfolk, and of receiver of the same honor, with a salary of five marks a year in each office, out of the issues, &c. of the same honor and out of all possessions pertaining thereto. 5 Dec. P. S. No. 553.

7 Dec. Grant, in survivorship, to Robert Collanwode, esq., and John Collanwode his son (in consideration of good and gratuitous service in the parts of le Estmarch and Middelmarch of the kingdom of England towards Scotland), of an annuity of 10*l.* out of the customs and subsidies in the port of the town of Newcastle upon Tyne. 6 Dec. P. S. No. 554. Pat. p. 3. m. 19 (9).

7 Dec. Grant to Reynold Hassalle ("in consideracioun of the "good and trusty service that oure humble and faith-"fulle subget hath doone unto us, and specially at our "victorius jeorney for the recouvering of this oure most "noble royaume of England"), of the office of bailiff of the "Grene, beside Stafford, which he had and occupied, "by the yift of the lord of Bukingham, late deceassed, "to the tyme that oure grete ennemye and rebelle "Richard, late duke of Gloucestre, did him put out of "the same;" to hold the same during the minority of the heirs of the same duke of Buckingham. 24 Sept. P. S. No. 555.

7 Dec. Grant, for life, to Richard Bedenne, of the office of searcher of all the "milners and berkers" within the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, and Essex. 1 Dec. P. S. No. 556.

7 Dec. Pardon and release to Thomas Wade, of the town of Calais, of all manner of offences committed by him previous to the 14th September last, and from all the penalties attached thereto. Restitution of lands, goods,

1 Hen. VII. chattels, &c. 3 Dec. P. S. No. 557. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 (8). 1485.

Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Rowell, of the office of bailiff of Caister, co. Linc. 6 Dec. P. S. No. 558. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35). 7 Dec.

Grant, for life, to James Worsley, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas, &c. 11 Nov. P. S. No. 559. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23). 7 Dec.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Waliston, of the office of comptroller of the customs and subsidies of hides, &c. in the port of the town of Hull. 30 Nov. P. S. No. 560. 7 Dec.

Grant, for life, to John Asteley, of 40*l.* a year out of the farm or issues of the city of Winchester, and 60*l.* a year at the receipt of the Exchequer. 28 Nov. P. S. No. 561. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18). 7 Dec.

Appointment of Richard Bulkeley as purveyor of beef and mutton in the counties of Shropshire and Stafford for the royal household. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 7 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Bernard Andrewe, of the corrody of the monastery of Crowland, now void, and in the gift of the Crown. 4 Dec. P. S. No. 562. 8 Dec.

[1] Grant, for life, to Andrew Harys, of the office of keeper of the gaol of Worcester castle and the office of constable of the castle itself, and also all the lands, tenements, &c. in Deggeley, near Worcester, anciently pertaining to the said offices, which lands, &c., belonged to the earl of Warwick. 18 Sept. P. S. No. 563. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 (8). 8 Dec.

Grant, for life, to William Vaughan, of the office of keeper of the manor of Carslowe, co. Bucks. 20 Oct. P. S. No. 564. 8 Dec.

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[1] See another Privy Seal, dated 18 Sept., and delivered 25 Sept., in which the same office is granted without the lands, &c. in Deggeley. There are two enrolments.

1485. 8 Dec. Grant, for life, to Thomas Walshe, of the office of serjeant and pavillioner of the king's tents or pavilions within the realm of England, with wages of 12*d.* a day for himself and 4*d.* a day for a boy, to repair the pavilions, tents, &c., out of the subsidies of the ulnage, &c. of cloths in the town of Bristol, a livery yearly from the great wardrobe, &c. 12 Nov. P. S. No. 565. 1 Hen. VII.

8 Dec. Grant to Thomas Lovell, esquire for the king's body, of the office of steward of the possessions late belonging to Henry, duke of Buckingham, in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham. 31 Oct. P. S. No. 566. Pat. p. 1. m. 1. (35).

8 Dec. Grant, for life, to Robert Champlayn, knight templar, to be one of the alms knights within the college of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Saints George the Martyr and Edward the Confessor, within the castle of Windesore. 30 Nov. P. S. No. 567. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18).

Writ to the dean and chapter of the collegiate church of Windsor, in pursuance of the above. 9 Dec.

9 Dec. Denization for John Penet, chaplain, a native of the parts of Brittany; licence to prosecute and defend all manner of actions; not to be charged customs on merchandize, &c. other than subjects of the kingdom pay, and other privileges. S. B. No. 99.

9 Dec. Grant, for life, to James Parker, of the offices of steward of the lordship and manor of Chilternelangley, alias Kinges Langley, and of the courts leet and views of frankpledge of the same; of keeper of the dwellings, mansion, lordship, and manor aforesaid; of keeper of the park there and under parker of the same (to take effect immediately after the death of Cecilia, duchess of York, who holds the property above mentioned for life, the reversion thereof belonging to the Crown), with all wages, fees, &c. such as were granted for the same offices temp. Edw. III., Ric. II., and Edw. IV. 18 Nov. P. S. No. 568.

1 Hen. VII. Special pardon to William Stoner, knt., late sheriff of the counties of Oxon. and Berks., for various offences committed as sheriff before the date hereof, &c. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9). 1485. 9 Dec.

Letters of request to the abbot and convent of Milton to admit William Jenyco into their house, and to grant him the same corrody or support as John Welche had therein. 2 Dec. P. S. No. 569. 9 Dec.

Grant in mortmain to Thomas, the abbot, and the convent of the monastery of St. Mary and St. Benedict of Buklond, co. Devon, founded by the king's progenitors and under his patronage, and to their successors (upon their representing that their possessions are impoverished and do not suffice to keep up the hospitality and other charges falling upon their monastery, and that they may quietly and devoutly perform Divine service, and more easily bear the charges of the said monastery, and may specially pray for the king's healthful estate in life and his soul after death), of the parish church of Baunton, Exeter dioc., which belongs to their patronage and advowson, with a proviso that the vicarage thereof shall be sufficiently endowed, and that a certain sufficient sum shall be yearly distributed amongst the poor parishioners of the same church. 4 Dec. P. S. No. 570. Pat. p. 4. m. 13 (12). 9 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Blake, esq., of the offices of bailiff of the honor of Richemond, co. Norfolk, and of warrener or keeper of the warren of conies of Swafham and of the said honor of Richemond, with a salary as bailiff of 40*s.* a year and wages as warrener of 2*d.* a day. 6 Dec. P. S. No. 571. 9 Dec.

Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Coke ("in consideracioun of the goode and feithefulle service whiche oure true liegeman hath doone unto us in oure late victoriouse bataille"), of the office of bailiff of Harom' and Carleton, in the parish of Helmesley, co. York, with 9 Dec.

1485. wages out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Helmesley. 1 Hen. VII.
7 Dec. P. S. No. 572.

9 Dec. Letters of protection and safe conduct (to last for two years) to John Baron, late of London, mercer, alias John Barone, of Westminster, mercer, who is about to travel to divers parts and places by command of the king, as well within the kingdom of England as across the sea, to execute certain important business touching the king and the public service: his possessions to be protected during his absence, no process of any kind to issue against him &c. 8 Dec. P. S. No. 573. Pat. p. 2. m. 21 (5).

9 Dec. Grant, during pleasure, to the prior and convent of the Friars Preachers in the University of Cambridge (towards the support of the doctrine of the Catholic faith, and in order that prayers may be specially offered up for the good estate of the king and the souls of the king's progenitors), of five and twenty marks a year at the Exchequer, the same sum having been allowed to them by the king's progenitors, from Edward I. downwards. 6 Dec. P. S. No. 574. Pat. p. 1. m. 1 (35).

9 Dec. Grant to John Weston, prior of St. John of Jerusalem, in England, Master Thomas Jayne, and John Peke, gent., of the advowson and next presentation to the first vacant canonry or prebend in the college or free chapel of St. Stephen, in the palace of Westminster. S. B. No. 100. Pat. p. 2. m. 4 (22).

9 Dec. Grant to William Acton, esq., of the office of keeper of the park of Elmeley Lovet, co. Worc., during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and so long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. 24 Nov. P. S. No. 575. Pat. p. 2. m. 21 (25).

9 Dec. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelains of our Eschequier, greting. Where we lately appoynted oure right trusty knighte and counsaillour Sir Richard Gilford, maister of oure armurye, to ordeigne and prepare our justes, late holdon at our

1 Hen. VII. paloys of Westminstre. To the which we, by our warraunt lately to you directed, appoynted unto hym the somme of c. marcs by youre handes, by hym to be received at our said resceipt; over whiche somme, as we certainly knowe by a declaracion made of the preparing of our said justes, we be endented unto hym for the same in the somme of l. li. ij.^{s} ij.^{d}. We therefore wolle and straily charge you that ye make unto our said maister of oure armurye sure and sufficient paiement of the said somme of l. li. ij.^{s} ij.^{d}., and every parte thereof, withoute any preste or other charge to be set upone hym for the same. And thies our lettres shalbe to you suffisaunt warraunt and discharge; any maner, acte, ordenaunce, provisioun, restraint, ordre, or course of our said resceipt, or other cause or matier, you to the contrarie herof meoving, in any wise notwithstanding. Yevene under oure prive sealle, at our said paloys of Westminstre, the ixth daie of Decembre, the furste yere of our reigne. P. S. No. 576. 1485.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chamberlains of our Eschequier, greting. Whereas we certainly understand that oure trusty and welbeloved knight Sir James Radclyf, lieutenaunt of oure Toure of London, hath borne and susteigned grete costes and charges, by oure commaundement, for the fynding and bourding of certain personnes, late by us to him commytted to kepe in sure ward within oure said Toure as hereaftere particulerly doth ensue, that is to wite, for the bording of vij. Frenchemen by the space of foure wokes, every of them by the woke at iij. s. iiij. d.—iiij. li. xiij. s. iiij. d. Item, for the bording of Sir Thomas Dalalaund, knight, by the space of viij. wokes, every woke at x. s.—iiij. li. Item, for the bording of ii. Scottish gentilmen by the space of vij. wokes, eithere of them by the woke at vj. s. viij. d.—iiij. li. xiij. s. iiij. d. Item, for the bording of a preest called Sir George by the space 9 Dec.

1485. of viij. wokes, every woke at vj. s. viij. d.—liij. s. iiij. d. 1 Hen. VII.
Item, for the bording of oone Pudsey by the space of v. wokes, every woke at vj. s. viij. d.—xxxiij. s. viij. d. Item, for the bording of John Say by the space of ii. wookes, eithere of the wokes at vj. s. viij. d.—xiij. s. iiij. d. Item, for the bording of John Thurstoñ by the space of oon woke, iij. s. iiij. d. Item, for the boarding of David Lloyd, gentilman, by the space of viij. wokes, every woke at vi. s. viii. d.—liij. s. iiij. d. Item, for the bourding of the erle of Surrey by the space of iiij. wokes, every woke at xl. s.—viii. li. Item, for the bourding of iij. men of the said erle by the space of iiij. wokes, xxx. s. Item, for the bourding of John Wayneflete by the space of vii. wokes, every woke at vi. s. viii. d.—xlvi. s. viii. d. Item, for the bording of John Mason by the space of v. wokes, every woke at iij. s. iiij. d.—xvj. s. viii. d.; amounting in alle unto the somme of xxxiii. li. xvj. *s.* viii. *d.*, whereof the said James hath not had of us as yet any maner, payment, or othere assignement for his contentacioun in this partie. We wolle therefore and charge you that of oure tresoure ye duly content and paye, without delay, unto the said Sir James the said particuler sommes, and every parte thereof, for the causes above rehersed, withouten prest or othere charge to be set or layde upon hym for the same. And these our lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge anempst us in that behalf. Yevene under our prive sealle, at our paloys of Westminster, the ixth day of December, the furst yere of our reigne. P. S. No. 577.

9 Dec. Grant to John Hewyke of the office of auditor of all the castles, honors, lordships, manors, hundreds, lands, tenements, and other possessions which are in the king's hands by royal prerogative, or by reason of the minority of heirs, in the counties of Hertford, Essex, Norfolk, Suffolk, Kent, and Surrey, and also of all possessions in the same counties in the hands of the Crown by

1 Hen. VII. forfeiture or any other cause; to be also auditor of the accompts of all ministers of the Crown, of every kind, touching the above-mentioned possessions. The office is granted from Michaelmas, 2 Ric. III., late, in deed but not of right, king of England, during pleasure. The fullest powers are given. All emoluments pertaining to the office are allowed. Orig. m. 12. 1485.

On the second part of the parliament roll of the first of Henry VII. is contained the act of resumption, with provisions and exceptions, filling 30 membranes.

Memorandum quod decimo die Decembris, anno præsenti, communitates regni Angliæ in pleno parliamento coram domino rege comparentes, per Thomam Lovell prælocutorem suum, regiæ celsitudini humillime supplicabant, eandem celsitudinem affectuose requirentes, considerato quod auctoritate dicti Parliamenti stabilitum est et inactitatum, quod hæreditates regnorum Angliæ et Franciæ, cum præeminencia et potestate regali, sint, restent, remaneant, et permaneant in persona ejusdem dominis regis et hæredibus de corpore suo legitime exeuntibus, eadem regalis sublimitas vellet sibi illam præclaram dominam Elizabetham regis Edwardi quarti filiam, in uxorem et conthoralem assumere; unde per Dei gratiam sobolum propagatio de stirpe regum a multis speratur, in totius regni consolationem. Consequenterque domini spirituales et temporales in eodem Parliamento existentes, a sedibus suis surgentes, et ante regem in regali solio residentem stantes, capitibus suis inclinantes, eandem requestam fecerunt voce dimissa: quibus quidem respondebat ore proprio, se juxta eorum desideria et requestus procedere fuisse contentum. Subsequenterque, venerabilis pater Johannes Wigornensis episcopus de mandato dicti domini regis, dominis spiritualibus et temporalibus et communitatibus tunc ibidem præsentibus declaravit, quod idem dominus rex, certis de causis ipsum moventibus, præsens Parliamentum suum prorogare disposuit, ipsos dominos et communitates 10 Dec.

1485. exhortans ex parte ejusdem domini regis, et præsertim justiciarios pacis, ut unusquisque eorum, cum ad propria venirent, pacem ecclesiæ Dei et regni procurare, ac homicidia, latrocinia, murdra, roberia, raptus mulierum, et extortiones punire, necnon valentes mendicantes et vagabundos, sub colore mendicii per patrias discurrentes et discordias mendaciaque seminantes, secundum statuta inde edita castigare atrociter, et vinculis mancipare, toto conatu curarent, ut dominus noster rex ipsis ad Parliamentum prædictum revenientibus de eorum bonis gestibus iterum in executione præmissorum causam reddendi gratias speciales habere valeret. Post quam quidem exhortationem sic notabiliter factam, idem cancellarius ex parte domini regis et ejus mandato declaravit, qualiter negotia Parliamenti prædicti pro statu et defensione regni Angliæ, in eodem Parliamento communicata et ministrata, ante festum natalis Domini tunc quasi in proximo existens, propter ipsorum negotiorum arduitatem, discuti non poterant nec finaliter terminari: quamobrem præfatus dominus noster rex præsens Parliamentum suum usque in vicesimum tertium diem Januarii tunc proximo futurum duxit prorogandum et illud sic realiter prorogavit; omnibus et singulis quorum interfuit in hac parte firmiter injungendo quod ad dictum vicesimum tertium diem Januarii, excusatione quacumque cessante, personaliter convenirent, ad communicandum tractandum et consentiendum super hiis, quæ pro pleniori et saniori discussione, provisione, et determinatione negotiorum prædictorum, favente domino, contigerint ordinari. 1 Hen. VII.

10 Dec. Grant to John Walshe of the offices of surveyor and receiver-general of all the possessions called Spencers lands and Salesburys landes, in the counties of Gloucester, Hereford, Worc., Oxford, Berks., Warwick, and Wilts., during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, duke of Clarence, so long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown,

1 Hen. VII. with a salary of 20*l.* for executing the said office, and for his expenses in carrying and providing carriage for the king's money, &c; also grant of the offices of feodary of the great court of the honor of Gloucester, in Bristol, called Erlescourte, and of surveyor and receiver of the manor and hundred of Bertone, near Bristoll, co. Glouc., during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and so long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with wages of 100*s.* a year in the office of feodary, and 100*s.* a year in the office of surveyor and receiver, &c. 7 Dec. P. S. No. 578. Pat. p. 2. m 4. (22). 1485.

Commission to John Hays to be deputy, in the ports of Exeter and Dertmouth, to John Fortescu, knt., chief butler of England. Pat. p. 2. m. 20 (6). 10 Dec.

Grant, for life, to John Waller, esq., of the offices of keeper of the manor of Penshurst, co. Kent, and parker of the park there, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the possessions lying within le Lowey of Tunbrich. P. S. No. 579. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 10 Dec.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay at sight to the earl of Oxford 50*l.* in ready money, which the king has appointed to him in lieu of the wages, &c. pertaining to the office of constable of the Tower of London, by way of reward, for this last half year ending at Michaelmas last. S. B. No. 101. 10 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Peter Actoris, born in Savoy, of the office of stationer to the king; also licence to import, so often as he likes, from parts beyond the sea, books printed and not printed into the port of the city of London, and other ports and places within the kingdom of England, and to dispose of the same, by sale or otherwise, without paying customs, &c. thereon, and without rendering any accompt thereof. 5 Dec. P. S. No. 580. Pat. p. 2. m. 21 (5). 10 Dec.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay at sight to John, earl of Oxford, 36*l.* 8*s.* 10 Dec.

1485. in ready money, which the king has appointed to him in lieu of the wages, &c. pertaining to the office of keeper of the lions, lionesses, and leopards within the Tower of London, and for the support of six lions, for half a year finished at Michaelmas last. S. B. No. 102. 1 Hen. VII.

10 Dec. Grant to John Forster and Robert Morton, gentlemen, of the custody of the manor of Busshy, co. Hertf., for seven years, at a yearly rent of 41*l.* 10*s.* 1½*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 3*s.* 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 12.

11 Dec. Grant to Reginald Bray, knt., chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, of the office of steward and surveyor of all the possessions in England, Wales, and the town of Calais late belonging to Henry, duke of Buckingham, during the minority of Edward his son and heir, and so long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with a salary of 40*l.* per annum. Power to appoint all under officers and ministers in the said possessions, and to determine their salaries, &c. Power to distrain, if the said salary of 40*l.* be not paid him, in the possessions above mentioned for the same. 10 Nov. P. S. No. 581. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

11 Dec. Grant, for life, to Edward Berkeley, esq., of the office of bailiff of Burley, in the New Forest, co. Southampton, with wages of 6*d.* a day out of the issues of the county. 10 Dec. P. S. No. 582. Pat. p. 2. m. 21 (5).

11 Dec. General pardon to Dionisius Osanus, a native of Guernesey. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9).

11 Dec. Grant to James Strangways, knt. of the custody of the manor of Dighton, near Northalverton, co. York, from Michaelmas last, for 40 years, at a yearly rent of 14*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* (the same rent that was paid to the king's most dear uncle Henry VI.), and a yearly improved rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* Proviso for allowance at the Exchequer of any sums which may have been granted out of the same manor by any of the king's progenitors. Orig. m. 15.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Thomas Butteler, of the office of keeper of the park of Haseley, with the woodwardship, co. Warwick. 10 Dec. P. S. No. 583. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 (15). 1485. 12 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Adam Penyngton, esq., of the custody of certain closes called Warmorton, Better Heskethe, Warvehesketh, Wollukys, Nonneclose, Heyclose, Coltclose, and Blaburghwayte within the forest of Ingelwode, co. Cumb., at a yearly rent of 16*l.* 20*d.* 11 Dec. P. S. No. 584. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (2). 12 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Patrik, of the corrody within the monastery of Abbottesbury lately held by William Edmondes, one of the gentlemen of the Chapel Royal, but surrendered by him in favor of the same Thomas. 6 Dec. P. S. No. 585. 12 Dec.

Exemption, for 50 years, to the bailiffs and burgesses of Shrewsbury (in consideration of the ruin, poverty, and decay of their town), from payment of 10 marks out of the 30*l.* which they are bound to pay yearly for the farm of their town at the Exchequer; also release, for ever, from contributing to tenths, fifteenths, subsidies, tallyes, &c. granted by the commons or convocation or otherwise to the Crown, and from aiding in the collection thereof. 9 Dec. P. S. No. 586. Pat. p. 4. m. 12 (13). 12 Dec.

Presentation of Robert Blakwall, clk., to the parish church of Elmyngton, York dioc., *vice* William Goodale, deceased. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9). 12 Dec.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequiere, greting. Where of late oure right trusty and entierly beloved cousin John, erl of Oxonford, for the summe of D.ccc. marcs hathe boughte of us the keping of all the maners, lordships, landes, and tenementes which of late belonged unto William Alyngton, late dede, the which helde of us in chief the day of his deth, and to our handes ar comen aftre the deth of the said William Alyngton by reason of the nouneage 12 Dec.

1485. of Giles Alyngton, son and heire of the said William Alyngton, beeing within age hole with the mariage of the forsaid (Gyles, the) son and heire aforesaid, without disparagacioun, from the day of the deth of the said William Alyngton unto the tyme the forsaid Gyles be come to his hole or lawfull age, to have of us the foresaid warde of mariage for the summe of the forsaid D.ccc. marcs onely in handes to be paied at the receipt of our said Eschequiere. And forasmoche as oure said cousin hath paied for us unto Richard Gardyner, citezin and aldreman of Londone, the summe of c. marcs for somoche money by the said Richard Gardyner late lent unto Richard, duc of Gloucestre, late, in dede and not of righte, king of England, upon plege of a salt of gold with a cover standing upon a moren garnisshed with (silver) and precious stones, the which salt was somtyme belonging unto the said late king, and delivered unto the said Richard Gardynere by one William Daubeney, knight, keeper of the juelx with the foresaid pretensed king, and the said salt of gold is delyvered unto our handes and possession, and also the summe of c. li., parcell of xxiiij^{c}. li. by the said late pretensed king, borowed of the maire and aldremen of our said citie of Londone that tyme beeing, that is to say, of every of the said aldremen that tyme beeing c. li.; and for suertie and contentacioun of the said xxiiij^{c}. li. the said late pretensed king laide in plege to the said maire and aldremen a coronalle of gold garnisshed with many othre grete and riche juelx, as by a bille endented betwix the said maire and aldremen on that one partie, and the foresaid William Daubeney, then keper of juelx of the said pretensed king, on that othre partie therof made more plainly doth appere. And forasmoche as the maire and aldremen ar not yit content of the forsaid xxiiij^{c}. li., alle the said juelx yit remaigne in the keping of the said maire and aldremen, of the which aldremen the said Richard Gardyner is and at that tyme of the lending of the said xxiiij^{c}. li. was one, and lent his c. li. to the said late king, as othre of

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1 Hen. VII. his brethren than dud, as more at large may appere. 1485.
The said Richard Gardynere knowlaigeth himself to be fulle satisfied, content, and paied of his said c. li. by oure foresaid cousin, in maner and fourme aforesaid, and therof dischargeth us for evermore. The which sumes of c. marcs and c. li. we, in maner and fourme aforesaid, knowlaige us paied and content, and wol and charge you, oure said tresourer and chambrelains, to charge yourself aswele with the foresaid c. marcs and c. li. as with cl. marcs by you of our foresaid cousin receyved, in full paiement of the abovesaid D.ccc. marcs, and that ye issue the forsaid c. marcs and c. li. as money paied unto us in our chambre by oure owne handes, receyvyng the money of our cousin abovesaid by the handes of the said Richard Gardyner, in full contentacioun of the said D.ccc. marcs; for the which we wol ye provyde and delyver unto our said cousin suffisaunt and sure discharge for the forsaid summe in grosse by taylle or taylles in due forme to be made at our receipt. And this doing, we wol that thies oure lettres be unto you in this behalve, warrant suffisaunt and discharge. Yeven undre oure prive seel, at oure palaice of Westminstre, the xijth day of Decembre, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 587.

Grant, for life, to Jasper, duke of Bedford, the king's 13 Dec.
uncle, of the office of chief justice of South Wales. S. B. No. 103. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 (8).

Grant to John Crosseby (in consideration of the true 13 Dec.
and faithful service and good heart which he has done and borne towards the king) of the corrody or sustentation within the monastery of Aynsham, co. Oxon., void and in the gift of the Crown owing to the decease of Thomas Pert, late holding the same. S. B. No. 104.

Appointment of Thomas Bekyngton as purveyor of 13 Dec.
corn, &c. in the counties of Oxford and Berks. for the royal household until 13 May next. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

1485. 13 Dec. Grant, during pleasure, to Roger Croket of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Hanworth, co. Norfolk, "whiche lordshipe, late apperteynyng unto John, late "duc of Norfolk, is now by reasone of his rebellion and "attendre in oure handes and disposicioun." 8 Dec. P. S. No. 588. 1 Hen. VII.

13 Dec. Grant to John Braban' of the office of bailiff of the lordship and town of Bovetracy, co. Devon., during pleasure, and of keeper of the park there, for life. 2 Dec. P. S. No. 589.

13 Dec. Grant, for life, to Robert John, one of the grooms of the king's chamber, of the offices of constable of the castle of Llantrishen, parker there, and keeper of the Isle of Barre, with such lands and tenements as Thomas Wrexham late had for the keeping the said isle. 12 Dec. P. S. No. 590. Pat. p. 3. m. 1 (27).

14 Dec. Grant to Elizabeth Charleton, widow of Richard Charleton, knt., of all goods and chattels late belonging to her husband and sums of money due to him in his lifetime, in the hands of the Crown through his forfeiture, or by virtue of an act made in the Parliament held at Westminster 7 Nov. last against him; without accompt. Seisin granted to her of the said goods and chattels and sums of money, having no regard to who may possess the same. 12 Dec. P. S. No. 591.

14 Dec. Grant, for life, to Thomas Sonky, of the office of water-bailiff of the town of Lyne. 12 Dec. P. S. No. 592. Pat. p. 2. 14 (12).

14 Dec. Foundation of the convent of the Friars Minors of the observance of the Order of St. Francis, in the town of Estgrenewiche, co. Kent, to the praise and glory of God, the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Francis, and All Saints: to consist of a guardian and twelve brethren: to possess the property mentioned below in frankalmoign.

In substance upon the following recital :—

King Edw. IV. having obtained authority from the Pope to found a house or convent for the use and habita-

1 Hen. VII. tion of the friars of the Franciscan Order, and wishing 1485.
to have masses used in Estgrenewich, by James, bp. of Norwich, and Edmund, bp. of Rochester, specially deputed thereto, gave a parcel of land with certain old houses built thereon in Estgrenewiche, adjoining to his manor there (12 virgates in breadth, and 63 virgates in length), bought with his own monies, for a church, cemetery, cloister, refectory, dormitory, "ortos," and other premises necessary for a convent belonging to the said order, to certain brethren of the order then present, and their successors, for the use and habitation of the Friars Minors of their observance in perpetuity; and the first stone of a future convent having been laid with the special solemnity observed on such occasions, he granted them full possession and seisin thereof. The brethren, in the hope and confidence engendered by the said gift, and trusting that the premises would be increased in time to come, have begun, at their own cost, labour, and exertion, to rebuild divers poor little dwellings, with the assistance of certain devout and faithful people, to the glory of God, the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Francis, and All Saints, and to pray for ever for the health and prosperity of the entire kingdom. King Henry VII., bearing in mind Edw. IVth's pious intention, the good disposition, devotion, expenses, and labours of the said brethren, by day and by night, in orisons, prayers, and fastings, and that chief and above everything else amongst works of mercy and piety is the canonical celebration of Divine service by priests and true vicars of God, and that it is a meritorious thing to support a ministry through whom the miserable souls of sinners purged from stains can receive calm and pardon, and the frail wanderers amongst sinful pleasures can be led back to the ways of grace. 11 Dec. P. S. No. 593.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of 14 Dec.
Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer, chambrelains, and under tresourer of oure Eschequiere, greting. We

1485. by thavise and assent of oure counsaille, and you wol and commaund, that for the tyme that ye, oure said tresourer and under tresourer, have occupied and for the tyme shall occupie the saide office, for the costes and expenses the which shall behove us to have and susteigne aboute our housholde, our chambre, grete wardrobe, and oure werkes, ye do paie from tyme to tyme suche sommes of money oute of oure tresoure, or make thereof assignaciouns to oure housholde, keper of our juelx within our chambre, clerk of our grete warderobe, and clerk of oure werkes, that now be and that for the tyme shalbe, and to everyche of theim, as shalbe unto youre wisedomes thought behovefull for the costes and expenses of theire saide offices during the tyme that thei shalbe in theire saide offices; and that ye paie also of oure saide tresoure fees of oure chauncellor of England, tresourer, under tresourere, and prive seelle, juges of bothe oure benches, barons, and chauncellere of oure Eschequiere, and to all othere officers and ministers of any of oure courtes or elles where having fees and rewardes accustumed; and also for the costes and expenses of oure ambassiatours, and messages beyond the see or on thisside, or that shal come from any parte beyond the see, or Scotland, and for the costes and expenses of alle thoo that shalbe assigned by our commyssion or commyssions, or othrewise to requyre for us, or for oure profyte in any wise; and also for the rewardes of custumeres, comptrollers, receivours, surveyours, sercheours, and approwers in oure poortes of England, or any of oure lyvelodes or possessions, or othre prouffittes due unto us that hathe been and for the tyme shalbe, ye doo paie rewardes aftre youre sage discrecions; and for oure proffite paie ye also unto the wardeyns of oure marches Est and West for oure towne and castelle of Berwik wages assigned by us and our counsaille after the endentures of theire withholding; also to the tresourer of Calais for the wages of souldeours there, and in the marches or thereaboute; paie 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. ye also of oure saide tresoure to the clerk of oure shippes for the tyme being for alle thinges necessary for his office; and also paie ye for parchemyne, papire, inke, wex, bagges of canvas, and othre necessaries behovefull in the office of our tresourer, chambrelains, and undre tresourere in oure receipt. And these oure lettres shalbe youre sufficient warrant and discharge. Yeven undre oure prive seelle, at oure palois of Westminstre, the xiiijth daie of Decembre, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 594. 1485.

Grant to the burgesses of the town and borough of Dunwich, co. Suff., of the custody of the fee-farm of their town, in the hands of the Crown, from Michaelmas last, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 12*l.* 5*s.* 5*d.* Orig. m. 16. 14 Dec.

Grant to William Lewelyn of the custody of the manor of Old Sodbury, co. Glouc., with all demesne lands, meadows, feedings, and pastures thereto belonging; woods alone excepted; and also certain lands and tenements within the said lordship of Sodbury called Lye Grove and Haye, and works of all customary tenants there, for certain reasons in the hands of the Crown, from Michaelmas last, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of George, late duke of Clarence, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 20. 14 Dec.

Grant to John Peke, of the offices of receiver and surveyor of the possessions late belonging to Henry Nevell, Lord Latymer, during the minority of Richard, son and heir of the same Henry, with a salary of 10*l.* a year. S. B. No. 105. 15 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Patrick de la Mote, of the office of chief cannoneer or gunner, otherwise called the office of master founder and surveyor and maker of all cannons or guns in the Tower of London and elsewhere, with 15 Dec.

1485. wages of 18*d.* a day for himself and 12*d.* a day for two men under him. 11 Dec. P. S. No. 595. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 (9). 1 Hen. VII.

16 Dec. Grant to John Musgrave and Richard Musgrave, esquires, of the custody of the agistments of cattle, attachments, and other profits arising from the farm of the lands of Plompton within the forest of Ingelwode, co. Cumb., in the hands of the Crown, from Michaelmas last, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 22*l.*, and a yearly improved rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* Orig. m. 12.

16 Dec. Grant to William Musgrave, esq., and John Musgrave of the custody of the herbage of certain meadows and tenements called Weryholme alias Homewery, co Cumb., from Michaelmas last, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 21*s.*, and a yearly improved rent of 12*d.* Orig. m. 13.

17 Dec. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequier greting. We wolle and charge you that unto oure fulle trusty knighte Sir Roger Cotone, maister of the horses with oure derrest wif the quene, ye paye and delivere, of oure tresourie being in youre keping, the somme of fourty pounds sterlinges furthewith upone the sighte of thies oure lettres, whiche we have appoynted hym to sende over to oure counseillour, the Lord Dawbeney, to thentent that he may doo, purveye, and bye with the same in the parties of Flaundres eighte coursers for the chares belonging to oure said wif, to serve ayenst hire coronacioun. Not setting any preste or othre charge upone the said Sir Roger in this behalve. Nat failing hereof in any wise as we specially truste you. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre suffisaunt warrant in that behalve anempst us at alle tymes hereafter. Yevene under oure prive sealle, at oure manoire of Grenewiche, the xviith daie of Decembre, the furste yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 596.

17 Dec. Safe conduct and special protection for Peter Justiniano, Pancracio Justiniano, and Louis Mozenico, mer-

1 Hen. VII. chants of Venice, to import into England, in a ship called the Saint Nicholas, whereof Janoto Jach', of Motrico, in Biscay, is master, goods and merchandize belonging to themselves and others. 1485.

The reasons for this safe conduct are declared in the preamble to be that although a treaty of peace and friendship has been made and concluded between King Henry VII. and the duke and lord of the Venetians, who is most dear to him, nevertheless he has been informed that some people are in doubt whether this treaty is sufficient for the protection of their goods and merchandize, and the merchants to whom this protection and safeguard is granted dare not come into this country owing to this uncertainty. 14 Dec. P. S. No. 597.

Presentation to Master Henry Woode, the king's chaplain, to the parish church of Wodhamferres, London dioc., *vice* Master Thomas Banestre, deceased. 14 Dec. P. S. No. 598. Pat. p. 2. m. 24 (2). 19 Dec.

Grant, for life, to John Lawrence, the younger, of the poundage of Gatcome is Krike, in the forest of Deane, co. Glouc. 13 Dec. P. S. No. 599. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15). 19 Dec.

Writ directed to William Stoner, knt., Edward Ponynges, knt., Richard Page, John Baume, Thomas Rose, Thomas Twyssaday, John Marcaunt, and the sheriff of Kent, reciting, that in the Chancery, in Easter term, 2 Ric. III., it was adjudged that William Lovelas should make a sure and lawful estate unto his sister, Katherine Founteyn, wife of William Founteyn, and her lawful issue, of the manor of Hevyr (or Hever, or Hevir), in the parish of Kyngesdowne, co. Kent, and all lands thereto pertaining. It is now ordered that the said Katherine shall be put in peaceable possession of the above manor, the said William Lovelas having withdrawn himself in order that no writ of execution of the said judgment may be delivered to him: power is also given to arrest and commit to gaol any one who shall oppose the 20 Dec.

1485. execution of the present writ, and to make proclamation for the said William Lovelas to appear in the Chancery at the quinzaine of St. Hilary next coming. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 d (22 d). 1 Hen. VII.

24 Dec. Grant to Thomas Clerke of the corrody or sustentation within the monastery of Wenlok, co. Worc., void by the surrender of William Clerk, and in the gift of the Crown. S. B. No. 106.

24 Dec. Presentation of John Wyot, clk., to the parish church of Little Cressyngham, co. Norfolk, Norwich dioc., *vice* William Wright, deceased. Pat. p. 2. m. 21 (5).

25 Dec. Grant, for life,[1] to Christopher Pate, of the office of bailiff of the town and lordship of Whasshingboroghe, co. Linc., with wages, &c. such as Oliver Guyane late had. 23 Dec. P. S. No. 600. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24).

26 Dec. [2] Grant, for life, to Giles Southam, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Thriske, co. York. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13).

26 Dec. Grant, for life, to Sir Symond Mountfort, knt., of the office of steward of the lordship of Castle Bromeche, co. Warwick. 11 Dec. P. S. No. 601.

26 Dec. Lease to Robert Willughby, knight for the king's body, of two parts of the manor of Calilond, co. Cornwall, into three parts divided, with the wardships, marriages, reliefs, &c., &c. belonging thereto, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham, at a yearly rent of 20 marks; grant also of all rents, &c. from Michaelmas last; release to all farmers, &c. of the said rents, &c. from all claims on the part of the Crown from Michaelmas last. 24 Dec. P. S. No. 602. Pat. p. 2. m. 19 (7).

26 Dec. Grant, for life, to William Mede, of the office of keeper of the park of Chepingmolt, co. Devon. 23 Dec. P. S. No. 603. Pat. p. 2. m. 15 (11).

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[1] Another grant, during pleasure, under date 1 Oct.

[2] See also under date 26 Sept.

1 Hen. VII. Licence to Margaret Cokkes, widow, of the town of Calais, to ship 41 sacks of wool called "lambewolle" and "pellewolle," and 500 skins with wool upon them called reffuse felle, in the ports of London and Sandwich, and convey the same to Calais, without paying any other customs or subsidies for the same except 12*d.* in the pound. 24 Dec. P. S. No. 604. 1485. 27 Dec.

Safe conduct and special protection for Henry Nevill, of London, iremonger, John Nevill, his son, and Rowland Birde, his servant, for one[1] year. 9 Dec. P. S. No. 605. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24). 27 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Benedict Frutze, physician, of the office of one of the king's physicians, and the custody of the place called the Prince Wardrobe, with wages out of the county of Surrey. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12). 28 Dec.

[2] Presentation of Master Thomas Asshewe, the king's chaplain, to the parish church of Cressingham Parva, co. Norfolk, Norwich dioc., *vice* William Wright, deceased. 24 Dec. P. S. No. 606. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15). 28 Dec.

Writ addressed to Richard Crofte, knt., Richard Delabere, knt., Ralph Hakelet, and the sheriff of Hereford, directing them to arrest and hold to bail in 100*l.* each the following persons, and to cause them to appear before the king's council on the morrow of the Purification next, viz. William Colley, Roger Colley, William Symond, William Borforth, Ralph Saunders, Simon West, Richard Rogers, James Walwyn, Thomas Feld, Richard Rede, John Rede, Thomas Frebarne, Geoffrey Plummer, Robert Plummer, Richard Jacson, Richard Gery, Lewis Walssheman, and Richard Hampton. 28 Dec.

A like writ addressed to John Seyntlowe, knt., Robert Poyntz, knt., Thomas Lymerik, Thomas Whitynngton, and the sheriff of Gloucester.

A similar writ addressed to John Mortymer, knt., Thomas Croft, Roger Harwell, Thomas Lygon, Henry

[1] Seven years in the Privy Seal. | [2] See also under date 28 Sept.

1485. Chambre, and the sheriff of Worcester. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 d (8 d). 1 Hen. VII.

29 Dec. Appointment of Thomas Rogiers and John Knight, jointly and severally, as auditors of the accompts of the receivers, &c. of the possessions late belonging to Henry, late duke of Buckingham, within the kingdom of England and the marches of Wales, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of the said duke, with the exception of all possessions assigned in jointure or dower to Katherine, duchess of Buckingham: a salary of 20 marks and daily expenses when engaged upon the duties attaching to this office. 27 Dec. P. S. No. 607. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 (8).

29 Dec. Grant, during pleasure, to Sir Christopher Moresby, knt., ("for asmoche as we, trusting in the wisdom, trouth, "and sadnesse of oure trusty and welbeloved, &c."), of the offices of steward of the lordship of Penreth, co. Cumb., and of the forest of Inglewode. 24 Dec. S. B. No. 107.

30 Dec. Grant, for life, to Thomas Wilson, of the office of gardener and keeper of the gardens belonging or adjoining to the castle of Sherefhoton, co. York. 24 Dec., enrolled 29 Dec. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13).

30 Dec. Grant, for life, to John Spynelle, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of keeper of the park of Acton Burnell, co. Salop., in the gift of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, late Lord Lovel, with the farm of the lordship of the town of Acton Burnell at the yearly rent therefore due and accustomed. 27 Dec. P. S. No. 608. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15).

30 Dec. Commission to Thomas Dacre de Dacre, knt., Henry Clyfford de Clyfford, knt., Christopher Moresby, knt., Richard Salkeld, Richard Musgrave, John Musgrave, and William Musgrave, to be receivers of Crown lands in Westmorland and Cumberland; the lordship of Penreth and forest of Ingelwod excepted. 24 Dec. S. B. No. 108. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14) and m. 2 d (24 d).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Christopher Sandes (in consideration of good and praiseworthy service, as well to the king as to the most dear and most excellent princess and lady his mother), of the office of one of the yeomen tailors of the king's great wardrobe within the city of London, with wages of 6*d.* a day, a livery at Christmas and Pentecost, &c. 11 Dec. P. S. No. 609. 1485. 30 Dec.

Grant to Nicholas Harpesfeld of the custody of the manor of Brettys, in Westham, co. Essex, from Michaelmas last, so long as the same shall remain in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 23*l.*, and a yearly improved rent of 20*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 24. 30 Dec.

Extracts from the payments during Michaelmas Term, *i.e.* from the 29th of Sept., 1 Hen. VII.

To the sub-treasurer and other officers of the Exchequer for boat hire of the chief and fourth baron of the Exchequer and other persons going, on the 30th of September, from Westminster to the lord chancellor then at Battersey, and returning, touching divers important matters of the king, 5*s.*

Hugh Bryce, alderman and goldsmith of London, for newly engraving the Exchequer seal, 10*s.*

To Sir Richard Croft, treasurer of the king's household, for provisions for the king's coronation, 233*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To Thomas Broun, sent with eight writs under the great seal, directed to the sheriffs of Surrey and Sussex, of the town of Southampton, of Wilts., Somerset, and Dorset, Devon, and Cornwall, and of Bristoll, for proclamation to be made of the truce between England and France, for his cost and expenses, 20*s.*

To John Bukston, sent with five commissions directed to the sheriffs of Bedfordshire and Buckinghamshire, Warwickshire and Leicestershire, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire, Staffordshire and Shropshire, to assemble the men and soldiers appointed to attend on

1485. the person of the king, who is going to suppress the insurrections in various parts of the realm, and with four writs ordering proclamation to be made at Newcastle upon Tyne, Kingston upon Hull, and in the counties of Lincoln, Norfolk, and Suffolk, of the truce between the kingdoms of England and France, 31*s.* 8*d.* 1 Hen. VII.

To William Flokton, sent with two writs under the great seal, directed to the constable of Dover Castle and to the sheriff of Kent, to make proclamation of the truce between the kingdoms of England and France, 5*s.*

To Thomas, archbishop of York, treasurer of England, for his fee and diet, 133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To Richard Wylson, one of the king's sergeants-at-arms, for his expenses, at the rate of 4*s.* per diem, for six days, in going to and returning from Berkhampstead with a letter directed to the duchess of York, relative to the wardship of Thomas Pygot, son and heir of Thomas Pygot of the county of Cambridge, deceased, 24*s.*

To William Nele, founder, on account, for making certain measures out of the king's metal, called "brasse," according to the accustomed standard, and sending them into each county in the realm, 10*l.*

To William Whythode, messenger of the earl of Northumberland, with divers letters to persons in the north for the king's advantage, 53*s.* 4*d.*

To the lord the king in his chamber, 2,050*l.*

To the same lord the king in his chamber, by the hands of Elizabeth, queen of England, 133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To William Gylbert and other men of Chertsey in reward "tam pro victualibus, provisis et datis leonibus "domesticis regis ibidem, in defectu custodum suo- "rum, mordentibus unum puerum ad mortem, quam "pro conductione eorundum leonum usque Turrem "London., per avisamentum concilii regis," 10*s.*

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Extracts from the book of account of the treasurer of England during Michaelmas Term, 1 Hen. VII.

To John Darays of the province of Guypuscoe, in Spain, in recompence for his merchandises spoiled by Englishmen, 40*l.*

To the lord Malepertz of Brittany and two other nobles, ambassadors of the duke of Brittany, and one herald of Brittany in their suit, lately being with the king for the purpose of concluding a peace between the king and the said duke, in reward between them, viz., to the said lord 60*l.*, to each of the nobles 20*l.*, and to the herald, 10*l.*; 110*l.*

To William Forster, canon of St. Paul's, London, for three horses, 11*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To Maurice Martyn, for three yards of scarlet at 8*s.* the yard, and two yards of satin at 12*s.* the yard, by way of reward, 54*s.*

To the lady the queen, the king's consort, 10 yards of crimson velvet at 35*s.* the yard, 6 yards of damask russet at 9*s.* the yard, bought, by command of the king, of Richard Gullefer, mercer, of London, 20*l.* 4*s.*

To the lord the king in his chamber, by the hand of Thomas Guydet, merchant of Florence, in part payment of two hundred marks for the price of one cloth of gold, containing 20 yards, at 10 marks the yard, 48*l.* 7*s.* 2*d.*

Easter Term.

To the Lord Shaundy, earl of Bath, in place, name, and recompence of one hundred marks, granted to him by the king, 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

To William Tyler, one of the messengers of the receipt of the Exchequer, sent with a letter from the lords of the king's council, to be delivered to a certain secret person in the port of Poole, for his costs and expenses, 13*s.* 4*d.*

1485. To Master Robert Morton, clerk of the rolls of the King's Chancery, for payments made by him for the writing of divers instruments and copies of a certain bull concerning the king's title, 40*s.* 1 Hen. VII.

To the lord the king in his chamber, by the hands of Thomas Lovell, the treasurer of the queen's chamber, 666*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

To Hillebrand Vain, for 49 timbers of ermines, for the furring of one gown of the Lady Elizabeth, queen of England, at 18*s.* the timber, 44*l.* 2*s.*

To Gerard Venmer, for 15 tymbers of ermines, for furring the said gown, at 18*s.* the timber, 10*l.*

To Richard Story, the queen's skinner, as well for powdering the ermines bought of him, as for furring the said gown, 31*l.* 14*s.*

To William Nynge, for the costs and expenses of the bishop of Aberdeen, in Scotland, and his servants and horses staying in London, and attending the king and his council on divers important matters, for the space of seven weeks and three days, ending the 7th of July, 234*l.* 6*s.* 6*d.*

To the lord the king in his chamber, 666*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

To Philip Knyghton, one of the messengers of the receipt of the Exchequer, sent to the town of Colchester with secret letters from the king's council, for his expenses, 5*s.*

To Master Richard, the physician, in reward, by the king's command, 26*s.* 8*d.*

To Thomas Fuller, mercer, of London, for linen cloth bought of him for the use of the lady the queen, 4*l.* 12*d.*

To John Exnynge, grocer, of London, for three yards of green cloth of gold bought of him for the use of the lady the queen, 13*l.* 10*s.*

To Richard Smyth, of the queen's wardrobe, for black silk of damask and crimson satin bought for the use of the lady the queen, 11*l.* 5*s.* 6*d.*

1 Hen. VII. To Sir Richard Gyldeford, for bows and arrows bought at the king's command, and given to the Scotch ambassadors at the time of their hunting at Eltham, and for bread, wine, and other victuals bought for the said ambassadors, 6*l.* 4*s.* 7*d.* 1485.

To the lady the queen, by command of the king, 90*l.*

To Benedict Frytz, the king's physician, for his annuity, 20*l.*

To Walter Lemster, one of the king's physicians, 10*l.*

To Henry Mattok, for the costs and expenses of the Lords Ormond and Audeley and others of the king's council, staying in London, concerning divers arduous matters and urgent causes, as well for the benefit of the king as for the tranquility of the realm, 20*s.* 6*d.*

To Richard Crofte, treasurer of the king's household, for provisions made by him towards the feast of St. George, on Sunday, [ ] of May, 50*l.*

To Reginald Bray, for providing, at the king's command, a certain number of yards of velvet and satin, of divers colours, to line the king's gown of cloth of gold, and for making other apparel of the king, 53*l.* 4*s.* 8*d.*

To Reginald Bray, in part payment of 400*l.* advanced to the king, 137*l.* 10*s.*

To William Brette and John Milles, in reward for their diligence and labor in seizing a piece of crimson velvet, containing 20 yards and a half, for the king's use, 40*s.*

Writs under the Great Seal, Michaelmas Term, 1 Hen. VII.

To Henry Harman, coroner and attorney in the king's bench, for his yearly annuity, for term of his life, 10*l.*

To Robert Spaldyng, the king's serjeant-at-arms, for his wages of 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To the guardian and convent of Friars Minors of Oxford, 50 marks a year, during the king's pleasure.

1485. To the guardian and convent of Friars Minors of Cam- 1 Hen.VII.
bridge, 25 marks a year, during the king's pleasure.

To John Billesby, esq., &c., late usher of the Exchequer, of his fee, 53*s.* 6*d.*; for 16 writs, &c., 67*s.* 5*d.*; and for wax for 1,700 writs, 2*s.* 8*d.*

To Thomas Morton, gentleman, for his annuity for term of his life, 40 marks.

To the prior and convent of Friars Preachers of Cambridge, 25 marks a year, during the king's pleasure.

To Richard Skypton, clerk of the petty bag, on account of work, &c., 10*l.*

To Peter Warton, yeoman of the Crown, 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Robert Kyng, the king's serjeant-at-arms, 12*d.* a day, for term of his life

To David Owen, chief carver of the king, 50*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To William Vampage, esq., sewer of the king, 50 marks a year, for term of his life.

To John Billesby, &c., for the holding of his office, 35*s.* 6*d.* and 55*s.* 9*d.*; as well for 16 writs as for the summons aforesaid, 47*s.* and 5*s.*; 1*d.* for divers things needful.

To Ralph Coterell, yeoman of the Crown and ranger of the forest of Waltham, 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Cristofer Sandes, one of the yeomen tailors of the great wardrobe, 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To James Worseley, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

Writs under the Privy Seal, Michaelmas Term, 1 Hen. VII.

To Windsor Herault, as a reward, 20*l.*

To Richard Guldeford, for repairing le justes, 100 marks.

To Master William Hill, &c. for providing ornaments of the king's chapel, 50*l.*

1 Hen. VII. To Antony Browne and Thomas Iden, esq., as rewards, 20*l.* 1485.

To William Vampage, as a reward, 40*l.*

To Richard Salkeld, esq., captain of the castle of Carlelle, as a reward, 40*l.*

To servants and grooms of the king's chamber, as rewards, 100*l.*

To George Ingleton, esq., sheriff of the county of Bedford, as a reward, 70*l.*

To John Savyle, knt., sheriff of the county of York, as a reward, 340*l.*

To Edmond Mountfort, knt., sheriff of the counties of Oxford and Berks., as a reward, 90*l.*

To John Paston, esq., sheriff of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, as a reward, 160*l.*

To William Fynderne, knt., sheriff of Cambridge and Hunts., as a reward, 100 marks.

To Richard Pudsey, &c., as a reward, 20*l.*

To John Paston, sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, as a reward, 80*l.*

To Thomas, earl of Derby, as a reward, 36*l.* 10*s.*

To William Fynderne, knt., sheriff of Cambridge and Hunts., as a reward, 50 marks.

To Master Benet Fritze, physician, as a reward, 30*l.*

To Garter, king of arms, as a reward, 80*l.*

To John Savyle, captain of the Isle of Wight, in compensation for his letters patent, granted to him by Richard III., in deed and not of right, king of England.

To John Fortescu, sheriff the counties of Essex and Hertford, as a reward, 198*l.*

To Reginald Bray, in compensation of divers stuffs bought for the lord the king, 358*l.* 23*d.*

ToEverard Digby, esq., sheriff of the county of Rutland, as a reward, 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

1485. To John Dygby, esq., sheriff of the counties of Warwick and Leic., as a reward, 160*l.* 1 Hen. VII.

To John Sotborow, as a reward, 20*l.*

To James Radclyf, lieutenant of the Tower of London, for the support of divers persons within the same Tower [ ].

To John, earl of Oxford, keeper of the lions and lionesses within the Tower of London, at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Richard Gildford, master of the armoury, for the preparation of le justez, 50*l.* 2*s.* 2*d.*

To the earl of Oxford, constable of the Tower of London, as a reward, 50*l.*

For the king's household and chamber, the keeper of the great wardrobe, and the master of the works of the king, and the keeper of the juelx within the king's chamber, to make payments from time to time [ ].

To Henry Veer, esq., earl of Northampton, as a reward, 100*l.*

To Robert Drope, &c., for divers juelx, 57*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To Nicholas Barley, for divers furreys, 181*l.* 14*s.* 8*d.*

To John Byron, esq., sheriff of Notts. and Derby, as a reward, 100*l.*

To William Cheyne, sheriff of Kent, as a reward, 100*l.*

To the merchants of the staple of Calais, for monies from them borrowed, 130*l.*

To the merchants of the staple of the town of Calais, for monies from them borrowed, 877*l.*

To William Brette, for "curas and brigandyrens," 37*l.*

To Thomas Fuller, for divers stuffs, 215*l.* 19*s.*

To John, earl of Oxford, for the custody and wardship of Giles Alyngton, &c. [ ].

To Nicholas Flynt and Edmund Shaa, for the working of certain gold and silver, 30*l.*

1 Hen. VII. To Richard Salkeld, constable of the castle of Carlelle, for the wages of soldiers, 40*l.* 1485.

To Nicholas Gaynesford, sheriff of Surrey and Sussex, as a reward, 40*l.*

To the countess of Richmond and Derby, for restitution of divers cups of silver and gilt taken by Robert Brakenbury [ ].

To William Vampage, one of the sewers, 50 marks a year, for term of his life.

To Richard Golofre, for certain stuffs purchased from him for the lord the king, 66*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.*

To William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper, for the custody of two daughters of Edward IV., &c., 200*l.*

To Thomas Baker and Stephen Rotherford, custumer of Pole, for the passage of Edmund Weston, &c. unto the island of Garnesey, 8*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.*

To Jerome Tieple, merchant of Venice, for 12 butts of Malmesey, 56*l.*

To William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper, for monies paid to Thomas Lovelle, 100*l.*

To John Crafford and Roger Apulton, custumer in the port of Sandwich, for monies paid to John Gilford, knt., 51*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*

To John Fox, parson of Wyderby, for divers damages of the towns and boroughes in his grain, 12*l.* 2*s.*

To the abbot of the monastery of Miravall, as a reward, 10 marks.

To Averey Corneburgh, as a reward, 33*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To Richard Pudsey, as a reward, 10*l.*

To Richard Doland, clerk of the works of the king's wardrobe, for divers stuffs bought for the day of the solemnization of the king's marriage, 95*l.* 3*s.* 6½*d.*

To the merchants of the staple of Calais, for monies by them paid beyond that which was appointed, 466*l.*

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Receipt under Michaelmas term, 1 Hen. VII.

Norfolk -	From the men of the town of Great Yarmouth, of the issues of their bailiwick, 40*d.*
The town of Northampton.	From Thomas Wyseman, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*
Bedford -	From the men of the town of Bedford, of the issues of their bailiwick, 20*d.*
The town of Bristol.	From John Swayne, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*s.* From William Wykeham, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 20*d.*
Cambridge -	From the men of the town of Cambridge, of the issues of their bailiwick, 40*d.*
Huntingdon -	From the men of the town of Huntingdon, of the issues of their bailiwick, 2½*d.*
Oxford - -	From the men of the town of Oxford, of the issues of their bailiwick, 10*s.*
Surrey, Sussex	From the abbot of Battle, of the issues of his bailiwick, 3*s.* 4*d.*
Kent - -	From the abbot of Battle, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*
Wilts - -	From the prioress of Ambresbury, of of the issues of her bailiwick, 13*s.* 4*d.* From the bishop of Winchester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.* From the prior of St. Swythin's, Winchester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*
Essex - -	From the abbess of Berkyng, of the issues of her bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*

1 Hen. VII.	Somerset, Dorset.	From the abbot of Glastonbury, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	1485.
	Surrey - -	From the men of the town of Kyngeston, of the issues of their bailwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
		From the abbot of Westminster, of the issues of his bailiwick, 2*s.*	
	Southampton	From the men of the town of Portesmouthe, of the issues of their bailiwick, 2*s.*	
	The town of Northampton.	From the men of the town of Northampton, of the issues of their bailiwick, 20*s.*	
	Northampton	From the abbot of Burgh, of the issues of his bailiwick, 20*s.*	
	Northampton	From Richard Burton, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 15*l.*	
	Suffolk - -	From the abbot of Bury St. Edmund's, of the issues of his bailiwick, 106*s.* 8*d.*	
	The town of Southampton.	From Richard Harewode, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 13*s.* 4*d.*	
	Surrey - -	From the bishop of Winchester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*	
	Worcester -	From the citizens of Worcester, of the issues of their bailiwick, 40*s.*	
	Hereford -	From the citizens of Hereford, of the issues of their bailiwick, 20*s.*	
	Somerset, Dorset.	From the bishop of Bath, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	City of Canterbury.	From William Sellowe, late mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
		From Thomas Sare, late sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	Kent - -	From the archbishop of Canterbury, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*s.*	

1485.	Middlesex -	From the archbishop of Canterbury, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*	1 Hen. VII.
	Surrey, Sussex	From the archbishop of Canterbury, of the issues of his bailiwick, 20*s.*	
	Bristol - -	From John Swayne, late sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, and from divers of his debts, 51*l.*	
	Middlesex -	From the farmers or occupiers of the manor of Kenyngton, alias Cold Kenyngton, with appurtenances, of the issues of the same, 10*l.*	
	Rutland -	From John Pylton, sheriff of the issues of his bailiwick, 10*l.*	
	Essex, Hertford.	From the bishop of London, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*	
		From the abbot of Waltham, of the issues of his bailiwick, 2*s.*	
	Middlesex -	From the abbot of Westminster, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*	
	Sussex - -	From the men of the town of Chichester, because they came not to make their proffer on the morrow of St. Michael, 1 Hen. VII., 20*d.*	
	Essex, Hertford.	From the abbot of St. Alban's, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	Somerset, Dorset.	From the bishop of Winchester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	Essex - -	From the abbot of Westminster, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*	
	Hertford -	From the abbot of Westminster, of the issues of his bailiwick, 2*s.*	
	Norfolk -	From the abbot of Ramsey, of the issues of his bailiwick, 10*s.*	
	Cambridge -	From the abbot of Ramsey, of the issue of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	

1 Hen. VII.	Oxford, Berks	From the bishop of Salisbury, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*	1485.
	The town of Oxford.	From the burgesses of the town of Oxford, of the farm of their town, 10*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.*	
	Berks - -	From Edward Franke and other farmers of the manors and lordships of Cokeham and Bray, with the appurtenances, of their farm, 40*l.*	
	Gloucester -	From the abbot of Cirencester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 20*s.*	
	Southampton	From the citizens of Winchester, of the issues of their bailiwick, 13*s.* 4*d.*	
	Surrey, Sussex	From the bishop of Chichester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	Cambridge -	From the prior of Ely, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	The town of Southampton.	From Vincent Teye, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 10*s.*	
	Anglia - -	From William Harle, receiver of the lands and tenements of the king, parcel of the Crown, in the southern parts of England, of the issues of the same, 100*l.*; after that, 56*s.* 8*d.*	
	Devon, Cornwall, Somerset, Dorset, Southampton.	From John Hayes, receiver, as well of certain farms and fee-farms as of divers lordships, lands, and tenements, late belonging to certain rebels of the king, within the counties of Devon, Cornwall, Somerset, Dorset, and Southampton, of the issues of his office, 298*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*	

1485. Kent, Surrey, Sussex. From John Alfewe, receiver, as well of certain farms and fee-farms as of divers lordships, lands, and tenements, late belonging to certain rebels of the king, within the counties of Kent, Surrey, and Sussex, of the issues of his office, 40*l.* 1 Hen. VII.

Dorset - - From John Wroxhale and his heirs of the farm of the manor of Pourestoke, with appurtenances, of the same farm, 9*l.*

Somerset - From the burgesses and tenants of the town of Ivelchestre, of the fee-farm of the town aforesaid, 4*l.*

Wilts - - From William, earl of Arundell, of the farm of all the conies within the royal forest of Claryngdon, of the same farm, 100*s.*

Southampton From the farmers of the manors of Tuderley and Lokerley, of the same farm, 11*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

Berks - - From John Tresawell and other farmers of the manor of Benham Lovell, of the same farm, 6*l.* 13*s.* 8*d.*

Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, Hertford. From John Malbourgh, receiver, as well of the farms and fee-farms as of divers lordships, lands, and tenements, late belonging to certain rebels of the king, within the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, and Hertford, of the issues of his office, 133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

Surrey - - From John Iwarby, esq., and Sanchea his wife, and Anne, sisters and heirs of Nicholas Carrewe, late of Bedyngton, deceased, to have a licence of entry into all the lordships, lands,

1 Hen. VII. and tenements late belonging to the aforesaid Nicholas, or Nicholas father of the said Nicholas, 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* 1485.

Anglia - - From Oliver Sutton, esq., out of those 131*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* in which he and others were bound to John Catesby, esq., for the wardship and marriage of Edward, earl of Wiltshire, and for the special livery of the lands of the same Edward out of the hands of the Crown, 40*l.*

Anglia - - From William Harle, receiver of the lands and tenements of the king, parcel of the Crown, in the southern parts of England, late being in the hands of Elizabeth, queen of England, of the issues of the same, 100*l.*

Issues under Michaelmas term, 1 Hen. VII.

To the treasurer of the king's household, for the expenses of the same household, by the hands of William Petit. 18 Nov. 33*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* 18 Nov.

To the chief baron, for his fee and reward of this term, by his own hands. 18 Nov. 50*l.* 18 Nov.

To Edward Goldesbourgh, the third baron, in full payment of his fee and reward of this term, by his own hands. 18 Nov. 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* 18 Nov.

To Brian Rouclyff, secondary baron, in full payment of his fee and reward of this term, by the hands of Thomas Holgate. 18 Nov. 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* 18 Nov.

To the treasurer of the king's household, for the expenses of the same household, by the hands of John Cony. 25 Nov. 132*l.* 25 Nov.

To John Sayvyle, knt., in part payment of a larger sum appointed for the same John for certain reasons 26 Nov.

1485. specified in a certain writ under the king's privy seal, 1 Hen. VII. directed to the treasurer and chamberlains of the receipt of the King's Exchequer, 40*l.*

28 Nov. To Reginald Bray, knt., under-treasurer of England, by the hands of William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper of the King's Chancery. 28 Nov. 100*l.* to the lord the king in chamber.

29 Nov. To Reginald Bray, knt., under-treasurer of England by the hands of William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper of the King's Chancery. 29 Nov. 18*l.* to the lord the king in chamber.

9 Dec. To the treasurer of the king's household, for the expenses of the same household, by the hands of John Cony, his clk. 9 Dec. 200*l.*

15 Dec. To Garter and Norrey, kings of arms, in the name of each one of the heralds and pursuivants, in part payment of a larger sum appointed for the same, by a writ of the king under his privy seal, directed to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer in this behalf, for certain considerations specified in that writ, by the hands of the aforesaid Norrey and Chester herald, 40*l.*

16 Dec. To John, earl of Oxford, constable of the Tower of London, by the hands of Thomas Higham, in part payment of a larger sum appointed for the same earl, by letters of the king under his privy seal, directed to the treasurer and chamberlains, for divers causes specified in those letters. 16 Dec. 50*l.*

16 Dec. To the treasurer of the king's household, for the expenses of the king's household, by the hands of William Petite, 20*l.*

19 Dec. To the same treasurer, by the hands of John Cony, 35*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*

19 Dec. To the same, by the hands of the aforesaid William Petite, 106*l.* 9*s.* 7*d.*

1 Hen. VII. Grant to William Soulby, chaplain, for term of his life, of the custody of the chantry of Abirford, Berwyk, and Saxton, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York. L. R. 81. 1485. 31 Dec.

Grant to Thomas Clerc and Isabella, his wife, of a messuage in the vill of Emyldon, near the castle of Dunstanburgh, in co. Northumb., with the land called Husband landes, to hold during the king's pleasure. L. R. 79. 31 Dec.

Creation of Thomas, Lord Stanley, as earl of Derby, to him and the heirs male of his body issuing for ever, with 20*l.* a year out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Notts. and Derby to him and his heirs for ever, towards the support of his estate. The preamble to this creation is as follows:—"Cum vetus quidem multisque observata "temporibus consuetudo fuit ut boni principes eos "omnes, qui singulari aliqua sua vel virtute vel pro- "bitate de ipsis bene meriti essent, ad aliquod honoris "incrementum eveherent, hocque institutum idcirco "erat observatum ut quisque ad bene merendum de "principe suo pronus esset, semper et gloriæ ac laudis "amore ad id faciendum incenderetur. Quocirca et "nos hac tempestate ad regni culmen, Deo annuente, "evecti, a laudatissimo et vetustissimo illo more mi- "nime deviandum [?] duximus, volventes itaque animo "probissimi consanguinei nostri Thomæ, Domini de "Stanley, carissimæ matris nostræ sponsi amantissimi, "fidelitatem præstantiam nobilitatem atque integrita- "tem, quibus maxime pollet, considerantes quoque sua "præclara in nos obsequia atque præsidium armorum "maximum nobis tam ab illo quam ab universis con- "sanguineis suis in bello nuper impensa, non sine "maximo et vitæ et status sui discrimine, eum certe "dignum judicavimus, quem pro tantis suis meritis in "altiorem gradum erigeremus." Chart. No. 23. 27 Oct.

Grant, for the term of his life, to Sir John Ratclyff, Lord Fitzwater, steward of the king's household, of the 1486. 1 Jan.

1486. stewardship of all his honors, castles, lordships, manors, &c. belonging to the duchy of Lancaster within the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, and Cambridge; the said Lord Fitzwater is also constituted feodary and bailiff of the liberties within the duchy in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. L. R. 147[b]. 1 Hen. VII.

1 Jan. Grant, during pleasure, to John Byde, yeoman of the guard, of the offices of bailiff of Brigewater and Heygrove, co. Somerset, of constable of Totneys, and of understeward of Corneworthy, co. Devon, belonging to the king through the attainder of the Lord Zouch, as fully as Robert Boughton held the same. P. S. No. 610.

2 Jan. Grant, for life, to John Gervesse, of the office of forester of the forest of Sapley, co. Huntingdon, with wages, &c. such as Richard Marton and William Jakes had in the days of Richard, late duke of Gloucester. 31 Dec. P. S. No. 611.

2 Jan. Mandate to the Lord Chancellor to issue writs of allocate and liberate to Master William Smyth, clerk of the hanaper of the Chancery, that he may deliver to David Philip, esquire of the king's body, Thomas Ubex and Thomas Bromell, the king's servants, letters patent, under the great seal, of such offices as the king has granted to them, without fine, fee, or duty. P. S. No. 612.

2 Jan. Grant, for life, to the king's beloved knight, David Owen, of the office of chief carver to the king, with a salary of 50*l.* a year at the Exchequer. 18 Dec. P. S. No. 613. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15).

Writ of liberate to the treasurer, &c. of the Exechequer for payment of the salary. 6 Feb.

3 Jan. Appointment of Henry Percy, earl of Northumberland, to be warden-general of the marches of the kingdom of England towards the parts of Scotland, viz. in the la Estmarche and Middilmarche, and in the king's demesne of Scotland, with the same authority and power as were conferred upon wardens thereof in the reigns of

1 Hen. VII. Richard II., Henry IV., Henry V., and Henry VI. S. B. No. 109. 1486.

Commission to John Dawney, Nicholas Leventhorp, and Richard Fitz William to be surveyors and approvers of the possessions late belonging to Thomas, Lord de Roos, in cos. of York, Westmorland, Cumberland, and Northumberland, and of all other lands in those counties in the hands of the Crown; also to be receivers-general thereof. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14) and m. 2 (24). 3 Jan.

Grant, during good behaviour, to John Serle, citizen of London, of the office of painter to the king. 1 Jan. P. S. No. 614. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 (8). 3 Jan.

The king, by the advice of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, demises to Richard Ratclyf, for seven years, the herbage and pasture of Hodellesden, in the county of Lancaster, at the annual rent of 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*, and 12*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 54. 4 Jan.

Commission addressed to Humfrey Starky, knt., William Norres, knt., Thomas Delavare, knt., Thomas Saye, Robert Cheyne, John Isbury, Thomas Wode, William Besell, James Viall, and John Fetiplace, of Cherney, directing them to call before them all knights, esquires, gentlemen, yeomen, and other men, and to administer the following oath to them:—"Ye shall " swere that ye from hensforth shall not reteigne, ayde, " ne comfort any person opynly cursed, murderer, felon, " or outelawed man for felony by you knowen so to be, " nor any such persoun lette to be attached or taken " therfor by the order of the lawe, nor reteygne any " man by indenture or othe, or yeve, lyvere, signe, or " token contrary to the lawe, nor any mayntenaunce, " ymbracery, riotis, or unlaufull assembles make, cause " to be made, or assent therto, nor lette or cause to be " letted thexecucioun of any of the kinges writtes or " preceptes directed to such laufull ministers and officers " as ought to have thexecucioun of the same, nor lette " any man to bayle or maynprise knowing and demyng 4 Jan.

1486. " hym to be a feloun uppon your honour and worshipe, 1 Hen. VII.
" so God you help and alle sayntis." The commissioners are to certify the names of such persons as have taken the above oath into the Chancery. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 d (14 d).

4 Jan. Grant to John Pympe, esq., of the office of keeper of the parks of Posterne and Cage, near Tunbrigge, co. Kent, during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham, with wages out of the issues, &c. of the castle and lordship of Tunbrigge. 27 Nov. P. S. No. 615. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24).

5 Jan. Grant, for life, to John Amyas, yeoman of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown (from 3 Oct.). 4 Jan. P. S. No. 616. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20).

6 Jan. Henricus Dei gratia rex Angliæ et Franciæ, et dominus Hiberniæ, reverendo in Christo patri Johanni Wigorniensi episcopo, cancellario nostro, salutem. Vobis mandamus . . . . . sequenti fieri faciatis Rex, etc., omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod dilectus et fidelis noster Willielmus Martyn unus aldermannorum civitatis nostræ Londoniæ . . . . . usum tamen et ex deliberatione Johannis nuper ducis Norfolciæ jam defuncti certa vasa argentea jocalia et bona subscripta videlicet duo flagons unius sortis . . . . . ponderis Troie. Item, duo alia flagons unius sortis de argento deaurato ponderantes triginta marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, duo magna chargeours et tres . . . . quatuor marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, duodecim platers de argento ponderantes triginta unam marcas et quinque uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, duodecim discos . . . . . ejusdem ponderis. Item, duas pelves de argento in parcella deauratas ponderantes tresdecim marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, tres ollas lagenarias duas inde planas et unam . . . . . marcas et tres uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, duas ollas quartes de argento ponderantes quinque marcas quatuor uncias et dimidiam. Item, unum ciphum stantem cum cooperculo . . . .

1 Hen.VII. super cooperculo, ac alium cyphum stantem cum cooperculo et cum bolions de argento deaurato, ac alium cyphum cum cooperculo de argento deaurato et cum scriptura circum illud et . . . . . argento deaurato, ponderantes inter se duodecim marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, duos ciphos stantes cum duobus cooperculis de argento deaurato uno folio pounsouned alioque . . . . super tres leones cum cooperculo de argento deaurato et cum scriptura, ponderantes inter se undecim marcas et duas uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum planum ciphum stantem cum cooperculo . . . . . unum bassum ciphum stantem cum cooperculo de argento deaurato, ponderantes inter se sex marcas septem uncias et dimidiam ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum magnum ciphum stantem super . . . . . de argento deaurato, ponderantem quinque marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum spiceplate fractum cum toto eo quod eidem pertinet, ponderantem octo marcas et sex uncias ejusdem ponderis . . . . . cum duobus cooperculis de argento deaurato, ponderantes quinque marcas et quatuor uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum layer et duodecim cochlearia de argento deaurato ponderantes . . . . . dimidiam ejusdem ponderis. Item, quatuor peceas chaced, cum uno cooperculo, quatuor peceas planas unius sortis, quatuor peceas alterius sortis, et unum cooperculum . . . . se quindecim marcas et quatuor uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum calicem cum patena de argento deaurato, ponderantem tres marcas et unam unciam ejusdem ponderis. Item, ... argento in parcella deaurat' ponder' duodecim uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, sex ciphos magnos planos vocatos bolles cum uno cooperculo de argento, ponderantes inter se . . . . . Item, unam ollam potellariam de argento in parcella deauratam, ponderantem quinque marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum salarium wrethen de argento deaurato absentibus . . . . ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum layer de argento, et unam ollam ad 1486.

1486. mingendum in eadem, ponderantes inter se sex marcas 1 Hen. VII.
et sex uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, sex magnos . . . . de argento pounsened cum martelettis ponderantes triginta et novem marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, quatuor magnos chargeours de argento ponderantes inte se tr . . . . . ponderis. Item, quatuor minores chargeours ponderantes inter se septemdecim marcas et quatuor uncias ejusdem ponderis. Item, duo magna platers de argento . . . . . Item, duodecim discos de argento, ponderantes parce viginti et quatuor marcas ejusdem ponderis. Item, unum ciphum cum cooperculo de auro vocatum a B. . . . . ponderis. Item, unum pixidem sigillatum, cum certis obligationibus in eodem; prout per inspectionem cujusdam indenturæ per dictum nuper ducem eidem . . . . . constat, nobis ad nostrum speciale mandatum et complacentiam die datus præsentium liberavit, ac omnia et singula eadem vasa argentea jocalia et bona . . . . tanquam vasa argentea jocalia et bona nobis forisfacta, ratione forisfacturæ per dictum nuper ducem contra ligeantiam suam nobis nuper factæ . . . . . prædictis omnibus et singulis sic ut præfertur per nos recepta, fatemur nos fideliter fore contento atque dictum Willielmum hæredes et executores suos ac terras et . . . . . parcell' acquietamus et exoneramus, ac ipsos inde et cujuslibet inde parcellæ erga universas et singulas personas quascumque exonerare et acquietare . . . . . et hæredibus nostris per præsentes. In cujus rei, etc. Datum sub privato sigillo nostro, apud palatium nostrum Westmonasterii, sexto die Januarii, anno regni nostri primo. Del. 4 Jan. P. S. No. 617.

6 Jan. Creation of Philibert de Shaunde as earl of Bath, to him and the heirs male of his body issuing, for ever, with 100 marks out of the issues of the counties of Somerset and Dorset towards the support of his estate. The preamble to this creation is in the following words: —"Cum nil magis principem deceat, quam eos qui tum

1 Hen. VII. " generis tum probitatis, et morum nobilitatis insigniti 1486.
" de ipso sunt benemeriti singulari amore prosequi et
" condignis honoribus decorare: Idcirco hac tempestate
" clarissimum equestris ordinis virum Philibertum de
" Shaunde, consanguineum nostrum carissimum, tam
" animi quam sanguinis, nobilitate pollentem, qui pro
" nostro recuperando, statu proque, nostra consequenda
" tuendaque dignitate, veluti felicitatis omnis nostræ
" et successus avidissimus, non sine magno sui suorum-
" que, discrimine innumeris sese objectavit periculis, qui
" denique fidelissimus obsequentissimus, que omne suum
" nobis officium præstitit, in laborum suorum præmium
" aliquid, et fidei erga nos fructum, atque probitatis
" et nobilitatis honestamentum, in comitem erigendum
" esse duximus, quo sibi posterisque suis eveniret digni-
" tatis et amplitudinis augmentum." Chart. No. 19.

General pardon and release to Ralph Willughby of Ranyngham, co. Norfolk, esq., alias of Newe Bukkenhome, co. Norfolk, alias of Bukkenhome Castell, alias late sheriff, cos. Norfolk and Suffolk, alias of Lanam, co. Suffolk. S. B. No. 110. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7). 7 Jan.

Grant to Magdalene Stanys of an annuity or yearly rent of 20*l.* sterling, for life, out of the fee-farm of the city of London and the issues, &c. of the county of Middlesex. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24). 7 Jan.

Grant, for life, to Henry, earl of Northumberland, of the office of bailiff of Tyndale, co. Northumberland. 14 Dec. P. S. No. 618. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 (15). 7 Jan.

Grant, for life, to Walter Leinster, M.D., of the office of one of the king's physicians, with a salary of 40*l.* a year at the receipt of the Exchequer. 28 Dec. P. S. No. 619. Pat. p. 2. m. 18 (8). 7 Jan.

Licence to Francis Dupon, servant to the duke of Britany, and in case of his death to his heirs, executors, or occupiers of his goods, in person, or by factors, attornies, and deputies, native or foreign, to import and 8 Jan.

1486. export goods and merchandize, not of the staple of Calais, into and out of the port of London (the customs not to exceed 300 marks) without payment of customs. Indentures between the officers of the customs and the said parties, detailing the goods, &c. imported and exported. 3 Jan. P. S. No. 620. 1 Hen. VII.

8 Jan. Grant, for life, to William Vampage, of the office of one of the king's sewers, with wages of 50 marks a year. 31 Dec. P. S. No. 621. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15).

8 Jan. Grant, for life, to John Markham, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of keeper of the gaol of Hertford, with wages, &c. out of the issues of the counties of Hertford and Essex. 29 Dec. P. S. No. 622. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 (15).

8 Jan. General pardon and release to Nicholas Carypell, a native of the island of Guernesey, of all offences committed by him previous to the date hereof, and from all penalties attaching thereto. Del. 30 Dec. P. S. No. 623.

9 Jan. Commission to Thomas Metcalf, esq., John Clerk, Thomas Wardall, and John Putte, to be auditors of the possessions belonging to the Crown in cos. of Northumberland, Westmorland, and Cumberland, viz. Barney castell, Midelham, Sherefhoton alias Sherefwoton, Holder nesse, Cotyngham, Helmesey, Carleton, Denton, Thyrske, Honyngham, Tyndale, Dunstanburgh, Langton, Pykeryng, Bamburgh, Turnehall, and Lynton, and of all other lands in those counties in the hands of the Crown; lands belonging to the duchies of Lancaster and York to be excepted. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 d (9 d).

10 Jan. The king, leases, for seven years, to Henry Shepard, his corn-mill and mill in Tutbury, with the millpools, fishery, and meadow to the same mills pertaining, rendering for the same 7*l.* annually; the king finding, for the reparation of the said mills, timber and underwood, called "trowles and pyles," within the parks of Rolston,

1 Hen. VII. Stokley, and Tutbury, by the livery of the surveyor of the chace of Nedewode for the time being. L. R. 110b. 1486.

Grant, for life, to John Thornby, of the office of parker of the park of Kepax, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York. L. R. 65. 10 Jan.

Protection, for two years, to John Sancius, born at Venesse, from Fontarabia, in Spain, and a ship of 300 tons laden with goods of all kinds, properly manned with a master and 60 seamen, pages, &c., for defence, whithersoever bound throughout the English dominions. 4 Jan. P. S. No. 624. 11 Jan.

Master Robert Pychard presented to the free chapel within the castle of Plecy, in co. Essex. L. R. 168. 12 Jan.

Grant to John Veer, earl of Oxford, and Margaret his wife, of the lordship or manor of le More, cos. Hertford and Middlesex, to them and their heirs, late belonging to George Nevil, abp. of York, or other persons to his use. 7 Jan. P. S. No. 625. Pat. p. 2. m. 7 (19). 13 Jan.

Grant, in survivorship, to John Ratclyff, knt., Lord Fitzwalter, and Sir Raynald Bray, of the office of warden and chief justice of the king's forests on this side Trent. 7 Jan. P. S. No. 626. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16). 14 Jan.

Grant to Master Richard Bromefeld, the king's vice-almoner, of the yearly pension which the abbot and convent of Oseney, beside the University of Oxenford, ought to give to a person of the king's nomination upon the creation of their abbot; to hold until he shall be promoted to a competent benefice of their patronage. 29 Dec. P. S. No. 627. 14 Jan.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Browne (in consideration of the true and faithful service which he hath done unto us, as well in the parts beyond the sea as within this our realm, now late at our most victorious field, &c.), of the office of steward of all the possessions within the county of Devon late belonging to the duke of Exeter, which office he had of the gift and grant of the Lord Marquis. 7 Jan. P. S. No. 628. Pat. p. 2. m. 19 (7). 14 Jan.

1486. 15 Jan. Grant, for life, to William Myghen (in consideration 1 Hen. VII. "of the true and faithefull service doon unto us, to our "righte singuler pleasure, at oure late triumphe and vic- "tory, by oure welbeloved servant"), of the office of water-bailiff from Brethyn to Briggenorth, with the fee going out of the town of Wrocarden, co. Salop., "which "one Thomas Stanlond late had and occupied by the "grant of our late enemy the duke of Gloucester." 5 Jan. P. S. No. 629. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13).

15 Jan. Commission to John Venables, esq., and Bartholomew Westby, directing them to make inquisition touching all lands in the counties of Northampton, Leicester, Somerset, Dorset, Kent, and Middlesex, which have or ought to have come to the Crown by reason of any forfeiture &c., and which are not granted away, and to seize such lands into the king's hands, and to return the inquisitions thereon made into Chancery. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 d (15 d).

15 Jan. Michell Diacony, Doctor of Divinity, appointed to be prior of the house of Saint Helerye within the isle of Jersey (Gerresey), for term of life. 3 Jan. P. S. No. 630. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24).

15 Jan. Grant, for life, to William Davis, of the office of keeper of the king's wardrobe in the castle of Nottingham. 7 Jan. P. S. No. 631.

15 Jan. Grant, for life, to Ralph Coterell, of the office of ranger of the forest of Waltham, co. Essex. 4 Nov. P. S. No. 632. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2).

16 Jan. Indenture between the king on one part and the mayor, bailiffs, and burgesses of the borough of Clifton, Dertmouth, Hardenesse, otherwise called the borough of Dertmouth, co. Devon, on the other part. The mayor, &c. agree to erect a mighty and defensive new tower and bulwark of lime and stone adjoining the castle there, and to garnish the same with guns, artillery, and other ordnance sufficient for defence, and to find a chain sufficient in length and strength to stretch across the haven of Dertmouth, from this tower to another tower there,

1 Hen. VII. and to keep the chain and towers well and sufficiently defended in all respects for ever. The king, in support of these matters, grants the said mayor, &c. 40*l.* a year out of the customs in the ports of Exeter and Dertmouth, without accompt, &c. Provision made in case this arrangement be disturbed by act of resumption or otherwise. 30 Nov. P. S. No. 633. Pat. p. 4. m. 21 (4). 1486.

Grant to John Charleton to be one of the alms knights of Windsor for life. 7 Jan. P. S. No. 634. 16 Jan.

Special protection to John Sancius of Venesse, from Fontarabia, in Spain, for one year, his factors, servants, and deputies, and for a ship of his named the Maria of Fontarabia, of 250 tons, and all other ships, wines, merchandize, and goods whatsoever belonging to him. Not to be arrested at the suit of the king or any other person for anything whatsoever, &c. 14 Jan. S. B. No. 111. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15). 17 Jan.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Clifton, of the offices of constable of the castle of Reigate, co. Surrey, and bailiff of the town of Reigate; also grant, for life, of the keepership of the king's warren within the same lordship. 17 Jan.

To the right reverend fader in God the bishop' of Worcestre and chaunceller of Englond. Right humbly besechith your lordship' your oratour and poer suppliant Richard Anlaby, gentilman, that where as one Robert Croke of the cite of London, late of his sympelnesse and ungodly deleyng, had with him unto his owne house a strange persone, which youre seid oratour never knewe, which person affermyd and said unto the said Robert that he cowde, by his lernyng and truste of nygromancy, make that what woman the said Robert lest to have unto his wyfe he shuld have; apon which the said person was retayned still with the said Robert iiij. or v. dayes secretly, and for to accomplissh his said crafte had, at his desire and commaundement, of the said Robert certayne juells and sylver plate delyvered, 17 Jan.

1486. which was put by them into a cofre with dyverse 1 Hen. VII.
images of wex, and so by the space of the said dayes caused and made the said Robert to do certayne observauncez with lyghtes and other serimonies, which is agaynst the lawes of God and all gode faith; but in conclusion the said persone craftly and subtilly departid from the house of the said Robert, and toke with him grete parte of the said juelles and plate, as hit hath bene sithin the troble of your said oratour largely declared and notified unto him, and never had knowlich thereof to force. For nowe hit so, gode lord, that late your said oratour by fortune bowght certayn sylver plate openly by gode recorde to the valewe of vj. li., as any man myght so do, which as thei that then sold hit said that the said plate was won and takyn in the last feld, for which nowe the said Robert surmysith that to be his, and hath affermyd an accion of trespasse to forc the shereffes of the cite of London apon your said oratour, and hath him thereupon arrestid, and by cause of his said symple delyng woll not troble with the said nygromancyr, but surmysith that your said oratour shuld be pryvy unto the said delyng, wherof the contrary shall be proved to fore your lordship', right evydently; but by cause your said oratour is in the said cite a straunger, he hath in the said accion declarid the damage of an c. li., for he shuld not fynd lyghtly suertes to labour for hym selfe, to his declaracion, and howgh be hit that there hath bene right worshipfull and threfty men to be bownd in an c. li. to bryng your said oratour unto his aunswere, but by cause thei dwell not with in the precynct of the said cite thei can not there to be admytted, and so agaynst all conscience there he lyeth still in prison, and may not labour for his acquytell, unto his undoyng for ever, with owte your gode lordship' be ynto hym shewid in this behalfe; that it wold like your said lordship' to graunt a corpus cum causâ direct unto the said shireffes,

1 Hen. VII. to bryng to fore you the cause and body, there be directed by your wysdom, and as trowght and conscience will requyre, for the love of God and in way of charite. 1486.

"Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto Gryffyth ? 1–18 Jan.
" Whyte, sporyor for spurres, by hym delyvered,
" ageynst ye quenes coronacyon, for ye henxmen and
" ther men, ye somme of xiij. s. iiij. d. Piers Courteys."

"Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto John
" Massy, tawyer, for tawyng of ermyns, ayenst the
" coronacion of our souverayne lady ye quene, the
" somme of xlij. s. vij. d. Piers Courteys."

"Memorandum, that ther is due and owyng unto John
" Bromhall, joynour, of London, for canapye stavez
" and ye tymber werk of ii. cherez of estate, of hym
" boughte, ayenste the coronacion of our souve-
" rayn lady ye quene, ye somme of xxiiij. s. Piers
" Courteys."

"Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto Robert
" Boylet, for hyryng of a carte for to carye in ye ranz
" unto Westminster, and vi. porters wages for to help
" to lay the same ranz frome Westminster Halle unto
" the Abbey, iiij. s., and for thred and candylles for
" werkemen wirkyng at the warderobe, v. s. x. d.
" Summa, ix. s. x. d. Piers Courteys."

"Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto John
" Rynge, skynner, of London, for ermyns, menever
" pure, and poudrynges of hyme boughte, for furryng
" of dyvers of ye quenes robes, ayenst her coronacion,
" ye somme of lxv. li. x. s. ii. d. Piers Courteys."

"Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto Roger
" Barlowe, for worstedde, of hym boughte, and de-
" lyvered into the kinges grete warderobe, ageynst ye
" coronacion of our souverayne lady ye quene, ye
" somme of xvij. li. Piers Courteys."

"Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto Robert
" Draytone, for whyte bogy for furryng of ye henx-

1486. " menes gownez, ageynst ye quenez coronacion, ye 1 Hen. VII.
" somme of iiij. li. xxi. d. Piers Courteys."

" Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto Thomas
" Ludbury, lorymer, for coursor byttes of hym bought
" ayenste ye coronacion of our souverayne lady ye
" quene, ye somme of lxv. s. iiij. d. Piers Courteys."

" Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto William
" Rowthewelle, mercer, of London, for skarlet, by hym
" delyvered into ye kinges grete warderobe, ayenst
" ye coronacion of our souverayne lady ye quene, ye
" somme of liiij. li. xii. s. ix. d.

" Memorandum that ther is due and owyng unto Walter
" Povey, tayllor, of London, for skarlet rede clothe
" and raie, of hyme boughte and delyvered into the
" kinges grete warderobe, ageynst our souverayne
" lady ye quenez coronacion, the somme of iiij^{xx}.xvij. li.
" viij. s. iiij. d. Piers Courteys."
" Received of the some abovesayd, lxxvj. li., per me
" Walter Povey."

18 Jan. Denization to William ap Gryffith ap Robyn, a Welshman by birth. To enjoy the liberties, privileges, &c. belonging to an Englishman: to be exempt from the penal enactments against the Welsh in Stat. 2 Hen. IV., and in all other statutes. 13 Jan. P. S. No. 635. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13).

18 Jan. Grant to Thomas Amyas of the office of porter of the castle of Hertford, for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees and emoluments. L. R. 164.

18 Jan. Grant, during good behaviour, to Robert Nundy (in consideracioun of the trewe and feithfulle service by hym done in your grete journey and most victorious feld), of a toft lying near a tenement belonging to John Chamberleyn, towards the west of the parish of St. Clement Danes, co. Middlesex. Pat. p. 4. m. 3 (22).

19 Jan. Grant to Thomas Stoke of the offices of constable and porter, for life, and bailiff, during pleasure, of Thorpwaterfeld, co. Northampton. 11 Nov. P. S. No. 636.

1 Hen. VII. Grant to Robert Stauntone of the offices of steward of the lordship, for life, bailiff of the lordship, during pleasure, and keeper of the park, for life, of Haringworth, co. Northampton. 18 Dec. P. S. No. 637. 1486. 19 Jan.

Grant, for life, to Richard Crompe, one of the marshals of the king's hall, of the office of clerk of the forest of Shirewode, co. Notts. 12 Dec. P. S. No. 638. 19 Jan.

Grant, for life, to Richard Norys, of a yearly pension of 100*s.*, which the abbot of Fougéres, of the power and dominion of France, and his predecessors, have had from Westkyngton, in the deanery of Malmesbury, Salisbury dioc.; to receive the same by the hands of the rectors of the same church, or of the sheriff of Wilts, or of other holders of the same pension for the time being. 21 Dec. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16). 20 Jan.

Grant, for life, to Robert Massy, of an annuity of 26*s.* 8*d.* out of the advoury of the county palatine of Chester, by the hands of the chamberlain thereof. S. B. No. 112. 20 Jan.

Grant, for life, to John Symson, of the office of bowyer, surveyor of the bowyers, and keeper of the king's bows within the Tower of London; with authority to make, purchase, and provide the same in the Tower of London, in Ireland, and elsewhere, and strings therefore; with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Surrey and Sussex; also grant of a house within the Tower of London, with a garden adjoining thereto, situate between the tower called "le "Rounde Toure of the Artrie" on the west, and the tower called "le Kyngges Loging" on the east, a livery of a yeoman of the chamber yearly, &c. 14 Jan. P. S. No. 639. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16). 20 Jan.

Grant, during the king's pleasure, to Thomas Tomlyn and Philip Guillym, of the office of beadle of the castle of Monmouth, and of the other three castles to the same castle belonging, with the accustomed fees and emoluments. L. R. 217. 20 Jan

1486. 20 Jan. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to the prior and convent of Friars Preachers in the University of Cambridge the Michaelmas arrears of an annuity of 25 marks, granted to them by the king on the 9th of December last, to commence from Easter last; such annuity having been granted, during pleasure, in aid and towards the support of the doctrine of the Catholick faith, and more especially to pray for the healthful estate of the king and the souls of his progenitors. S. B. No. 113. 1 Hen. VII.

20 Jan. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Body, of the office of bailiff of the hundreds of Tanrigge and Reigate, co. Surrey. 17 Jan. P. S. No. 640.

20 Jan. Grant, during pleasure, to John Rothercombe (for true and diligent service in the parts beyond the sea and within the realm), of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Blakdon, co. Somerset. S. B. No. 114.

20 Jan. Rex omnibus ad quos, etc. salutem. Sciatis quod certis considerationibus nos specialiter moventibus, de gratia nostra speciali, concessimus et licentiam dedimus, ac per præsentes concedimus et licentiam damus dilecto nobis Antonio Dolaiciola, mercatori de Ispannia, quod ipse, per se factores sive attornatos suos indigenos vel alienigenos, quandam navem vocatam Sanctus Spiritus de Ispannia, portagii centum et octoginta doliorum, vel infra, cum vinis de crescentia ducatus nostri Vasconiæ, ac aliis vinis bonis et mercandisis quibuscumque carcatam, in hoc regnum nostrum Angliæ, in quemcumque portum ejusdem, totiens quotiens sibi placuerit, durante præsenti licentia nostra, adducere, et eandem navem de vinis bonis et mercandisis prædictis, de tempore in tempus, discarcare, vendere, et ad libitum suum disponere valeat et possit licite et impune, absque impedimento, impetitione, molestatione, perturbatione, gravamine seu calumnia nostri aut officiariorum seu ministrorum nostrorum quorumcumque, aliquo statuto actu ordinatione provisione restrictione seu proclama-

1 Hen. VII. tione in contrarium ante hæc tempora facto edito ordinato seu proviso non obstante: proviso semper quod nobis de custumis subsidiis et aliis denariis nobis pro vinis bonis et mercandisis prædictis debitis fideliter respondeatur, ut est justum. In cujus, etc., per unum annum duraturam. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium xx. die Januarii. 14 Jan. P. S. No. 641. Fr. m. 2. 1486.

By the king. 21 Jan.

Trusty and welbeloved. For greet causes and consideracions, such as moeve us, we wol and charge you straitely, that in al haste possible seene thees our letteres, ye not sparing to labour night and day, come unto oure presence and that ye ordeigne and see, by suche waies as it shalbe thought unto you mooste behoveful, that the carrakes nowe being in our port there and that shal come thidre departe not thens in any wise before your commyng ayen thidre, the whiche shal not be long to. Yeven, &c. at Westminster the 21 day of January.

To our trusty and welbeloved John Somerton, oon of our custumers in our port of Hampton. S. B. No. 115.

Grant, for life, to Magdalen Stanys, of an annuity of 20*l.* out of the fee-farm of the city of London and issues &c. of the county of Middlesex. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24). 23 Jan.

Exemption for the abbot, prior, and convent of St. Austyn, Canterbury, and to the heirs and executors of Sir John Scot, deceased, from the payment of 25*l.*, for which process has issued out of the Exchequer against the said abbot, prior, and convent, under the following circumstances:— 24 Jan.

By letters patent dated 11 June, 1 Edward IV., which were afterwards confirmed by "Richard, late, in dede "and not of right, king of Englond, the Thirde," by letters patent dated 13 June, 1 Richard III., Sir John Scot, knt., had an annuity of 50 marks granted to him for life, "whiche the abbot, prior, and convent of Seint "Austyn of Caunterbury and their successours be bounde

1486. " yerely to paye, by cause of a remission of a more 1 Hen. VII.
" summe for every vacacion of the said abbey, to th'ab-
" bot and convent of the said place and to their suc-
" cessors, by Richard, late king of England, the Secunde
" made," payable yearly at Easter and Michaelmas by the said abbot and convent and their successors. The said abbot, &c. had under these letters patent paid the said Sir John 25 marks for Michaelmas term last past, without any further warrant. Sir John Scot is lately dead. The Exchequer seeks to recover the 25 marks in question. S. B. No. 116.

24 Jan. Licence to William Brette, a custumer or collector of the petty customs in the port of the city of London, and all places and creeks adjoining, and to his attornies, to buy and sell ships with his monies by way of merchandize; to meddle with the freight of ships; to have and hold wharves, quays, inns, and taverns; to be factor or attorney for merchant strangers; and to import and export merchandize at home and abroad, notwithstanding the prohibitory statute touching custumers, 20 Hen. VI., which imposes a penalty of 40*l.* for each offence. 21 Jan. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15).

24 Jan. Grant to Bartholomew Darrybeyre, knt., of a yearly rent of 40*l.* for life, from Michaelmas last, out of the issues, &c. of the bailiwick of the hundreds of Estflegge, Westflegge, Happing, Taverham, Blofeld, Walsham, and Humlyerd, co. Norfolk, and of other issues, &c. cos. Norfolk and Suffolk, or of the bailiwick therein. 4 Jan. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23).

24 Jan. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the of the Exchequer to deliver to Thomas Fuller, mercer, of London, a tally or tallies upon the collectors of the subsidy in the port of London for 215*l.* 19*s.*, the king being indebted to him to that amount for " certeyne stuff unto " our handes delivered for our were." P. S. No. 642.

24 Jan. Grant, for life, to William Stanley, knt., the king's chamberlain, of the offices of constable of Caernarvan Castle and captain of the town of Caernarvan, with all

1 Hen. VII. wages and fees pertaining to same; also grant of a company of 24 soldiers for the safe keeping of the said castle and town, with wages at the rate of 4*d.* a day for each soldier. S. B. No. 117. 1486.

Grant, for life, to John Bakes, arras maker, of the office of maker and mender of the king's cloths and pieces of arras and tapestry, with 12*d.* a day for wages for himself, and 4*d.* a day for a boy, a livery from the wardrobe, and all emoluments such as John Bullok and John Wylde had in the same office. 20 Jan. P. S. No. 643. Pat. p. 2. m. 2 (24). 24 Jan.

Respite, until Michaelmas next, of the homage of Thomas Barley, the younger, esq., who married Joan, kinswoman and one of the heirs of Thomas Bybbesworthe, esq., deceased, viz. daughter of Joan daughter of Edmund, father of John father of the said Thomas, due for all the lands, &c. which the said Thomas held of the king on the day of his death by reason of offspring having been begotten between the same Thomas and his wife; also of the homage of John Cotis, kinsman and another heir of the said Thomas, viz. son of Agnes daughter of Edmund, father of John father of the said Thomas, for similar lands, &c., and surrender to the said Thomas, Joan, and John of their purparties. The escheator of Essex is further commanded to take the fealty of the said Thomas and John, and having taken security from the said Thomas, Joan, and John for payment of the relief due from them at the Exchequer, and having made a lawful partition of the property in question into two equal parts, he is to give seisin thereof to the said Joan and John, and certify all proceedings into the Chancery. Orig. m. 18. 24 Jan.

Grant to Christopher Ingelard of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Corbywoodland within the forest of Rokingham, during the minority of the Lord Latymer, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. 24 Jan. P. S. No. 644. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18). 25 Jan.

1486. 25 Jan. Grant, for life, to Thomas True, of certain tenements called Cowe Crosse, in the suburbs of the city of London, with the gardens and all other profits, commodities and avails to the same belonging. 11 Nov. P. S. No. 645. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19). 1 Hen. VII.

25 Jan. Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to admit the attornies of Robert Cresset, late sheriff of Shropshire, to pursue the end of his accompt and to make fines in that behalf, against whom an attachment has been awarded out of the Exchequer upon default of appearance at a certain day limited to him for making his accompt, he not being entitled by the course of the Exchequer to make his accompt by attorney, but being compelled to appear there in his proper person. S. B. No. 118.

26 Jan. Memorandum quod xxvi. die Januarii, anno regni regis subscripto, ista billa liberata fuit cancellario Angliæ apud Westmonasterium exequenda.

To the king our souverain lord.

In most lamentably wise shewith unto youre highnesse youre humble subjectes and power bedman William West, of your towne of Est Grenewyche in your countie of Kent, husbond man, and Jone his wif, howe that where youre said bedman and his wif were at their parshe churche at evynsonge one Saint Nicholas eve last past, ther dores fast loked, sodenly ther howse was a fyre, brent and pulled downe unto the harde grounde, or they were ware of the said fyre, and therin lost alle ther movable goodes that ever they had labored for in ther lyvys, to the value of xx. li. and above, and over that the land lord of youre said besecher atached certain oxne, keyne, and other quyck catalles of your said besechers, to the value of c. s.; and also toke an accioun agaynst hym, and put hym in prisone, and there kept hym by the space of a monethe, and unto the tyme he was greable to pay to his said land lord xx. li. at days for the byldyng of

1 Hen. VII. the said howse ayene. In consideracioun wherof, that it may please youre highenesse of youre moost superhabundant grace the premisses tenderly considered, and that your said bedman hath not wherwith to contente the said xx. li. nor noe parcell thereof, but as he may gete it of the almys of charytable people, to graunte unto them youre gracious lettres patentes of license under your great sealle, in sufficient and due fourme to be made, to aske almys of alle your subjectes and true liegemen in and throwout your shyres of Kent, Surrey, Sussex, your citie of Londone and shire of Middlesex, Essex and Suffolk, and the same license to endure for a hole yere frome the date of the same. And that this bylle signed with your most gracious hand, without any other warrant or warrantes, may be sufficient warrant unto your chaunceller of England for the tyme beyng to make and sealle your said license without any fyne, fee, or other thyng paying for the same. This at the reverence of God and in the way of charyte. And your said besecher shall duryng his lif pray God for the preservacioun of your moost noble persone and roialle estate. S. B. No. 119. 1486.

Grant to John Fligh, yeoman of the king's wardrobe of the robes, of 6*d.* a day for his fee in the said office. 18 Jan. P. S. No. 646. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15). 26 Jan.

Licence, for two years, to Francis Fougay, Thomas, Edward, and Herve Byanyk, merchants of the town of Morleys [Morlaix], in Britany, to import into any port in England, in one or more ships of Britany, France, or England of 800 tons burden, Gascon wines or other goods and merchandize as often as they like, provided only they pay the duties and customs thereupon. 24 Jan. P. S. No. 647. 26 Jan.

Grant, for 20 years, to Hugh Hurleton and John Almer, of the farm of the fishing of the king's water of Dee, called the King's Pole, with the appurtenances, nigh the city of Chester, at a yearly rent of 24*l.* to the 26 Jan.

1486. exchequer of Chester: the said Hugh and John have long held and now occupy the said farm, this being a second grant to them thereof. S. B. No. 120. 1 Hen. VII.

26 Jan. Congé d'elire to Margaret Squyer, sub-prioress, and to the convent of St. Mary of Hegham, *vice* Christina, their late prioress, deceased. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

26 Jan. Licence, during life, to John Broke, as purveyor to the king and the royal household, to take, in all manner of places (privileged places only excepted) within the realm, pheasants, partridges, quails, and all other wild fowl for the use of the king and the household, and also goshawks for the king's sport and pleasure. 18 Jan. P. S. No. 648.

26 Jan. Grant to Richard Lylly of the custody of the manor or lordship of Hooton Panell, co. York, with all things belonging thereto, from Michaelmas last, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 24*l.* 10*s.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 15.

27 Jan. Grant, for life, to Richard Stapull, one of the yeoman of the guard, of the offices of keeper of the park of Walsall and bailiff of the foreyn' of Walsall, co. Staff., with wages out of the manor of Walsall. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

28 Jan. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay (without delay, upon the sight hereof, in ready money, without prest or other charge) to Nicholas Warley of London, goldsmith, 143*l.* 19*s.* 4½*d.*, for jewels of gold and silver delivered by him to the king, as well before the feast of Christmas as against the feast of New Year's day last past, and for which he has received no payment. A schedule of the particulars of the account is annexed as follows. S. B. No. 121.

H. R.—Parcelles delivered to the kynges goode grace byfore Christmas.

In primis, v. garters of golde, weyng xi. oz. xviij. đ. đi; price the oz., xł. š. Sm̃ - xxiij. ł. xvij. š.

Item, for the silver and gravyng of the seale of Southe Wales - x. ł.

1 Hen. VII. Item, v. rynges; the pece, xxvj. s. viij. d. Sm— 1486.
vi. li. xiij. s. iiij. d.

Item, the gyrdille harneys of the kynges swerd, weieth iij. oz.; price the oz., xl. s. Sm - vi. li.

Item, for a cors for the same swerd - vi. s. viij. d.

Sm, xlvi. li. xvii. s.

Parcelles delivered to the kynges goode grace at Neweyerystyde.

Item, a layer of golde, weying ix. oz. iii. quarters; price the oz., xxxv. s. Sm - xvii. li. xv. d.

Item, a salte of golde with a mayde, weying vi. oz. di, and a ferthyng gold weight; price the oz., xxxv. s.— xi. li. x. s.

Item, a stondyng gilte cuppe with a covere, playne, weying xx. oz.; price the oz., v. s. Sm - v. li.

Item, a stondyng gylte cuppe with a covere, playne, weying xix. oz. di; price the oz., v. s. Sm—
iiij. li. xvii. s. vi. d.

Item, a square salte with a covere, gylte, weying xv. oz. iij. quarters; price the oz., v. s. Sm—
iij. li. xviii. s. ix. d.

Item, a square salte with a covere, gylte, weying xv. oz. iij. quarters; price the oz., v. s. - iij. li. xviij. s. ix. d.

Item, a stondyng gylte cuppe with a covere, weying xx. oz. quarter di; price the oz., v. s. Sm—
v. li. xxi. d. ob.

Item, a stondyng gylte cuppe with a gilte covere, weying xxii. oz. iii. quarters; price the oz., v. s.— v. li. xiij. s. ix. d.

Item, a stondyng gylte cuppe with a covere, weying xxii. oz.; price the oz., v. s. - v. li. x. s.

Item, a stondyng gylte cuppe with a covere, chased, weying xxiij. oz. i. quarter; price the oz., v. s. Sm— v. li. xvi. s. ix. d.

Item, a fflatte cuppe with a covere, chased, weying lvj. oz. iij. quarters; price the oz., v. s. Sm—
xiiij. li. iij. s. ix. d.

1486. Item, a stondyng gylte cuppe with a covere, chased, weyng xxiiij. oz. i. quarter; price the oz., v. s. Sm̃— vi. li. xv. d. 1 Hen. VII.

Item, a stondyng gylte cuppe with a covere, playne, weying xxv. oz.; price the oz., v. s. Sm̃ - vi. li. v. s.

Item, for two chapes for two dagers, weying di oz. ob. weight; price - xxi. s.

Item, for the quenes weddyng ryng - xxiii. s. iiij. d.

H. R.—Summa, iiij^{xx}.xv. li. xix. s. ob.

Summa totalis, c.xliij. li. xix. s. iiij. d. ob.

28 Jan. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay 57*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* (incontinent upon the sight hereof, in ready money, without prest or other charge) to Robert Drope, alderman of the city of London, for having, on New Year's Eve last past, delivered jewels of gold to that amount unto the king, at his command, without payment. P. S. No. 649.

28 Jan. Writ addressed to the sheriff of York, directing him to arrest Henry Swyft and William Coke, yeomen, and to produce them before the council. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 d (15 d).

28 Jan. Master Thomas Allchawe is presented by the king to the parish church of Moundesley, in co. Norf., in right of his duchy of Lancaster, void by the death of the last incumbent. L. R. 156.

28 Jan. Grant to William Coope, for the term of his life, of the office of feodary of the duchy of Lancaster, in the counties of Southampton, Wilts, Somerset, and Dorset, with the accustomed fees and emoluments. L. R. 188.

29 Jan.[1] Grant, in tail male, to John Trefry, knt., of the manor or lordship of Rode and Langham, otherwise called Redelagham, cos. Somerset and Wilts., and of the manor or lordship of Launden, co. Bucks., in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of John le Zouche, Lord

[1] ? What is the proper date of this document. The Privy Seal is dated the 4th March, in the first year. It is said to be delivered to the chancellor on the 29th Jan. in the first year. It is found enrolled on Patent Roll, 3 Hen. VII., p. 2, under date 19 Jan.

1 Hen. VII. Zouche, as a rebel: to hold by the services anciently due. 1486.
4 March. Del. 29 Jan., enrolled 19 Jan., 3 Hen. VII. P. S. No. 650.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay (without delay, incontinent upon the sight hereof, in ready money, without prest or other charge) to Nicholas Barley 181*l.* 14*s.* 8*d.* for furs (which with the making and towing amount to that sum) delivered by him to the king, as well before the feast of Christmas and New Yearstide, as against Twelftide last past, and for which he has received no payment. A schedule of the particulars of the account is annexed as follows. P. S. No. 651. 30 Jan.

Schedule.

Anno primo Regis Henrici Septimi.

In primis, Nicholas Barley made a furre of ermyns to a gowne of purpulle velvet to the kinge's goode grace, which drawethe - lxvi. s. viii. d.

Item, for xxi. tymber of ermyns, & a half price of every tymber, xx. s - xxi. li. x. s.

Item, to the weiere for towing of the said ermyns— xxi. s. vi. d.

Item, for viij^{ml}. powdringes and ii^{c}.; price the c., ii. s.— viij. li. iiij. s.

Item, for the furring of ii. paire of botose with martrons - xii. d.

Item, for xxx^{ti}. martrons; the pece, xvi. d. - xl. s.

Item, for a gowne of blake velvet, with sables; the worke - x. s.

Item, for xxx^{ti}. hole sables; the pece, iiij. s. iiij. d.— vi. li. x. s.

Item, to the hender quarters, xxvi. martrons wombes; price - xxvi. s.

Item, to the sleves within xi. stagers; the pece, viij. d.— vii. s. iiii. d.

Summa, xliiii. li. xvi. s. vi. d.

1486. Item, a gowne of cloth of golde, with ermyns, pynked— x. s. 1 Hen. VII.

Item, for M^l.M^l. powdringes - xl. s.

Item, a gowne of purpulle velvet, ageyn the workmanshipe - c. s.

Item, for xxii. tymber ermyns, & half price the tymber, xx. s. - xxii. li. x. s.

Item, paied for the towing of the same ermyns— xxii. s. vi. d.

Item, for xiij^ml. powdringes, and half price of every c., ii. s. - xiij. li. x. s.

Item, a gowne of cloth of golde for the quene is grace, with mynkes - c. s.

Item, for xii. tymber mynkes, rawe; price the tymber, iiij. li. x. s. - liiij. li.

Item, for towing of every tymber, ii. s. - xxiiij. s.

Item, for lynyng of the purfulle - xxvj. s. viij. d.

Item, for a furre of mynkes wombes - xl. s.

Item, there resteth dew of myn olde bill - xxix. li. xv. s.

Summa, cxxxvj. li. xviij. s. ii. d.

Summa totalis, ciiij^xx.j. li. xiiij. s. viij. d.

30 Jan. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Forasmoche as the maire and felasship of merchantes of oure staple at Caleys, at oure speciall desire and comaundement, in the terme of Saint Michell last past, lent unto us the some of eight hundred thre score and seventene poundes nyne shillinges twoo penyes, the whiche some by oure comaundement was payed and employed unto the wages, fees, and rewards of certaine soldiours of a crewe of late being at our saide towne of Caleys, and lately by us discharged, for the whiche some of D.cccIxxvii. li. ix. s. ii. d. the saide maire and felasship have not had of us any repayment. We willing them to be payed of the same

1 Hen.VII. some and every parte thereof, woll therefore and straitly charge you that ye, in the boke called the pele, doo entre a mutuum, in the name of the said maire and felasship of the saide staple, of the forsaide D.ccclxxvii. li. ix. s. ii. d., and that ye entre an issue for the causes above expressed. And over that we woll and charge you, for theire repayment, to delyvere unto them for their due contentacioun iiij. severell tailles, to be levied at the resceipt of oure saide Eschequiere upon the saide maire and felisship of merchants of the saide staple, of suche money in theire handes reteyned and to be reteigned of thencreas of vitaill money after xl. d. of the lb., that is to wite, oon taille of cclxx. li. to us due of the saide vitaill money the vith day of Octobre last past, the seconde taille of cclxx. li. to be due the vith day of Aprill next commyng, the third taille of cclxx. li. at the vith day of Octobre thenne next following to be due, and the iiijth taille of lxvii. li. ix. s. ii. d. the vith day of Aprill from thens next ensuyng, in like manner to be to us due, in full payment of the forsaide D.ccclxxvii. li. ix. s. ii. d., the whiche tailles, in due fourme to be levyd, we woll ye delyvere unto the saide maire and felasship of merchants without prest or othere charge, to be sette upon them for the same. And thise oure letteres shalbe unto you sufficient warrant and discharge. Yeven under oure prive seell, at oure paloys of Westminster, the xxx. day of January, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 652. 1486.

Exemption from toll for the men and tenants of Blidebure, co. Suff., the same being ancient demesne of the Crown. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12). 30 Jan.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to deliver out of the king's treasure 10*l.* sterling to Richard Skypton, clerk of the petty bag in the Chancery, for the discharge of arrears of his pay from Michaelmas, 2 Richard III. (late, in deed and not of right, king of England,) to Michaelmas last past. S. B. No. 122. 30 Jan.

1486. 30 Jan. Grant, for life, to Richard Rednesse, of the office of keeper of one part of the forest within the lordship of Hatfield called the Wroo; with wages, &c. such as were heretofore enjoyed by Robert Greve. 10 Dec. P. S. No. 653. Pat. p. 2. m. 11 (15). 1 Hen. VII.

30 Jan. Appointment of Henry, earl of Northumberland, by the advice of the king's council, as commissioner on the part of England, to treat with such commissioners or ambassadors as James, king of Scots, may appoint to conclude a treaty of peace and abstinence from war, as well by land as by sea, between the two countries. S. B. No. 123.

31 Jan. Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to acquit and discharge the tenants of the manor of Bushey, co. Hertford, from a claim made against them for farm; to acquit also the executors, &c. of John Sturgeon, late sheriff of Essex and Herts., the executors, &c. of Robert Percy, late sheriff thereof, and John Fortescu now sheriff thereof, from the same, and to issue process against Morgan Kydwelly to accompt therefore, &c. The circumstances set out (as far as the decayed state of the document will show) seem to be as follows:—

Edward IV. enfeoffed divers persons in the manor of Bushey, and appropriated the revenues thereof to the royal works at Windsor Castle, appointing Morgan Kydwelly approver thereof. The revenues were so disposed of during the reigns of Edward IV. and Richard III. (late king of England, in deed and not of right) until Michaelmas, 2 Richard III., when the then sheriff of Essex and Herts. (John Sturgeon) was ordered by the Exchequer to accompt for the issues of the said manor for the past year, and not being able to obtain his discharge, owing to their being no warrants at the Exchequer for that purpose, he levied distresses upon the goods and chattels of the tenants to the value of 40*l.* and upwards, for which the tenants can obtain no replevin nor redress. They, fearing that they may be called upon for the

1 Hen. VII. remaining farm due, viz. from Michaelmas, 2 Richard III., to Michaelmas last, by John Fortescu, now sheriff, pray the king's intervention. The manor is rated at 41*l.* 10*s.* 1½*d.* by the year. S. B. No. 124. 1486.

To the right reverent fader in God the bisshope of Worcetir and chaunceller of England. Jan.

Mekely besechith your good and gracious lordshipe your contynuell oratour John Vele, that where as he late lente unto oon Lyonell, late bisshope of Salesbury, xx. li., and for suertie of paiement the seid late bisshope leid in plegge to your seid besecher iij. gilt cuppes, a basyn of silver, iij. saltis, and a xij. spones, the said xx. li. to be repaied by the seid bisshope within xviijth monethes then next folwyng, and atte that day, for defaut of paiement, your seid besecher shuld have and enjoie the seid plate to his owne propre use for ever, as it apperith by letter of . . . endenttid betwix theym and therupon made, which day is now ron by the space of xij. monethes and more; that notwithstandyng, John Persons, preest, and John Birde, admynystratours of the goodes and catelx of the said late bisshope, have nowe commensid an accione of detynue for the seid plate, to force the baillifs of the town of Bristowe ayenst your seid oratour, entendying therby to recovere the seid plate, and notte for to content nor pay your seid oratour the seid xx. li., ayenst all reason and good conscience, and to the utter undoyng of your seid oratour, without the gracious aide of your seid lordshipe to hym be shewed in this behalf; therefor it wold please your seid lordshipe the premyssez considred, to graunte a certiorari directed unto the seid baillifs, comaundyng theym by the same to certifie the seid cause before your seid lordshipe, and there to be examyned of and uppon the premissez, and ferthermore to do as right and conscience requireth; this atte the reverence of God and in the way of charitie.

(Indorsed.)

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1486. Jan. To the most reverent fader in God and full gode and gracious lord cardenalle archebisshope of Caunterbury and chaunceller of Englond. 1 Hen. VII.

Bisechith your most gracious lordshipe John Erle of Oxenford, that where Elizabeth, late countesse of Oxenford, his moder, whose heire he is, for the true and faithfulle allegeaunce and service that she owed and did to the most blessid and Cristene prince Henry the Sixt, was in the tyme of the reigne of King Edward the iiijth, by imprisonement and for drede of her distruccion, compellid by cohercion, ayenst her wille, to depart with her livelode to Richard, late, calling hymself, Kyng Richard the Thirde, than duke of Gloucester, your seid suppliant than being attaynted of high treson for his true service doon to the said moost Christene prynce, and therfore durst not ne might be at his liberte in this land; of the which imprisonement, cohercion, and maner of departyng from her seid livelode there were divers worshipfulle and credible persones pryvie and had perfite knowlege yerof, of whom diverse be of grete age, and if thei shuld decesse, their witnesse in that behalf not had ne entred of record the knowlege of the seid imprisonment and cohercion might renne oute of mynde, and therof might ensue wrongfull vexacion and trouble to the seid erle and his heires of and for the enheritaunce of his seid moder; wherfore, in eschewing therof, it may please your noble grace to direct severall writtes of subpena to Sir James Tyrell, knight, Sir John Rysley, knyght, William Tunstall, esquier, William Paston, esquier, and Henry Robson, the which were pryvie and had perfite knowlege of the maner of ye departyng of the seid countesse from her seid livelode, commaunding theyme to appere before the king in his Chauncerie at a certyn day, there to depose and witnes alle that thei knowe touching imprisonement and cohercion, the which was put to the seid countesse in that behalf, and all other thinges concernyng the departyng of her seid live-

1 Hen. VII. lode to the seid late duke; and that their deposicions and witnes may be there entred and remayne of recorde and knowlege aforseid; and the seid erle shall pray to God for your prosperous estate long to contynew and to his plesire. 1486.

Grant, for life, to John Moton, of the custody of the gaol, "de la Gawle," of Magna Dene and Parva Dene, co. Glouc., otherwise called "le Gawle bynethe the Woode," in the same manner as Robert Hyot held the same. 23 Jan., enr. 9 Oct. P. S. No. 654. Pat. p. 1. m. 17 (19). 1 Feb.

Grant, during pleasure, to John North, yeoman of the king's "chaundery," of the office of bailiff of the towns of Blawnkeney and Brawnston, co. Linc., in the gift of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, late Lord Lovell. 27 Dec. P. S. No. 655. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2). 1 Feb.

Safe conduct and special protection for such venerable fathers, considerable lords and noblemen, bishops, earls, barons, knights, clerks, shieldbearers, and merchants, to the number of 12, of the kingdom of Scotland, with 200 persons in their company, whom James, king of Scotland, shall authorize to come over to England as ambassadors to treat with commissioners appointed by King Henry VII. touching matters between the two countries. Their safety is guaranteed in coming and returning. They are at liberty to make as many journeys to and fro as they may wish. Every help is to be afforded to them in the business they have to carry out, &c. This protection is to last for seven months. S. B. No. 125. 2 Feb.

Grant, for life, to William Stanley, knt., the king's chamberlain, of the office of justice of North Wales, with such wages as John, earl of Worcester, received, payable at the exchequer of Carnarvon, by the hands of the chamberlain for the time being, out of the revenues of the principality of North Wales. 24 Jan. P. S. No. 656. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13). 2 Feb.

1486. By the king. 1 Hen. VII.

3 Feb. Righte trusty and welbeloved cousin, for certaine riottes and offenses doone by you, and othre counsel and [othre causes us] moevyng, we wol, by thavis of the same our counsaill and in the straitest wise, charge you that in alle possible hast aftre the receyvyng of thees our lettres ye adresse you unto our castell of Wallyngford, so that ye be there atte the ferthest on Tywesday next comyng, and there abide unto the tyme ye have otherwise in commaundement from us by writing.. Not failyng herein upon the feithe and ligeance that ye owe unto us. Yevene undre our prive seel and signe manuelle, at our paleys of Westminstre, the iii^{de} day of Feverer.

To our righte trusty and welbeloved cousin the duke of Excestre. S. B. No. 126.

4 Feb. The king, by the advice of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, demises, for seven years, to Robert Morley, a certain parcel of waste land near the park of Queenemore called Holenhede, and another parcel of waste land called Skalthwayte lying between the park of Quernemore and the water and one parcel of the said duchy; rendering yearly therefor to the king and his heirs for the said parcel called Holenhede 43*s.* 4*d.*, and for the said parcel called Skalthwayte 6*s.* 8*d.*, and 12*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 54.

4 Feb. John London is presented to the chantry of the free chapel of Ergaston, in the county of Berks. L. R. 208.

4 Feb. Letters of request to the abbot and convent of the monastery of Thame to grant to William Emondes, gentleman of the king's chapel, a corrody within their monastery. S. B. No. 127.

4 Feb. Grant, for life, to William Compton, servant unto Sir Edward Ponyngs, knt. (for true and faithful service in the parts beyond the sea and within the realm), of the office of keeper of the king's woods and warren of Kirlington, co. Oxford. 14 Jan. P. S. No. 657.

1 Hen. VII. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to carry out certain processes in the Exchequer for the repayment (out of the victual money which will be due in April 1487) to the mayor and fellowship of merchants of the staple at Calais of 130*l.*, which sum they in Michaelmas last, at the special desire and command of the king, lent him, and which by the king's command was paid and employed in the wages, fees, and rewards of certain soldiers of a crew of late being at the castle of Guysnes within the marches of the town of Calais, and lately discharged, and for which sum the said merchants, &c. have had no repayment. S. B. No. 128. 1486. 4 Feb.

Petition to the king from the "inhabitants, merchants "adventurers, citizens of the city of London, into the "parts of Holland, Seeland, Braban,' and Flaundres," stating that they have had great charges, through paying large sums of money to soldiers to guard their merchandize before the beginning of the present Parliament, as well from hence to the said parts as from thence into this realm; also that no subsidy of tonnage or poundage has been used to be paid to the king's progenitors before the first day of the Parliament in which the same was granted. They therefore pray a pardon and discharge from every subsidy of poundage of merchandize by them conveyed from the said parts into the river Thames and port of London, that is to say, of all such as were taken up and landed after the first day of the king's reign and before the first day of the present Parliament, and beg that letters of privy seal may be directed to all the different officers who have the carrying out of these matters. 4 Feb.

A foot note indicates that letters have issued according to the prayer of the petition. 4 Feb., 1 Hen. VII. S. B. No. 129.

Inspeximus of letters patent dated 4 March, 6 Edw. IV., granting, in survivorship, to Robert Huet, of the town of Newcastle upon Tyne, and Mary his daughter, 100*s.* a 4 Feb.

1486. year out of the issues, &c. of the said town; and Robert Huet being dead, confirmation of the said letters patent to William Wyghal and Mary his wife, who has survived her father, during the remainder of her life. S. B. No. 130. 1 Hen. VII.

4 Feb. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where as oure trewe and feithfulle servaunt William Bret, draper, of London, at oure late being in the realme of Fraunce, by oure commaundement ded doo bie for us and to oure use vi. curas, called harneys, complete, and xii. paire of brygandynes, and xxiiii. salettes, whiche cost him xxxvii. li. sterlinges, and the said harneys, brygandynes, and salettes he delyvered there, according to oure commaundement to him in that behalf yeven, and as yet had never payment of the saide xxxvii. li., nor of any part therof, as we trewly knowe. We, entending his indempnite in that behalf, wolle and charge you that ye, incontinent upon the sight herof, doo levey a taille at the receipt of our saide Eschequier, in due fourme to be made, upone the custumers of our pety custume within oure poort of London that nowe be or that in tyme to come shalbe, conteynyng the said somme of xxxvii. li. sterlinges, for the saide William Bret, and that taille soo levyed ye delyvere to the saide William Bret withouten any prest or other charge upone him therfore to be sette. And thise oure lettres shalbe unto you sufficient warrant and discharge ayenst us in that behalf. Yeven under our prive seele, at our paloys of Westminstre, the iiiith day of February, the furst yere of oure reigne. S. B. No. 131.

4 Feb. Grant, during pleasure, to John Getyns of the office of bailiff of Risyng, co. Norfolk, with the part of the Tolbooth belonging to the Crown in the town of Lynne; the toll belonging to the Crown and the revenues of the said office to be accounted for "as thordre of accompts re-" quirethe." 3 Feb. P. S. No. 658. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, in survivorship, to David Philip, esquire for the king's body, and Thomas Colyns, of the corrody in the gift of the Crown within the monastery of Gloucester, in as ample wise as John Farley held the same. P. S. No. 659. 1486. 4 Feb.

De litteris recommendatoriis pro magistro Cristofero Urswyk. } Rex universis christianis regibus, principibus, ducibus, marchionibus, comitibus, nobilibus, proceribus, dominis, capitaneis, castellanis, constabulariis, gubernatoribus civitatum castellorum villarum arcium, præfectis, custòdibus portuum pontium passagiorum et districtuum ac omnibus aliis quibuscumque dominis, tam ecclesiasticis quam secularibus, cujuscumque statûs, gradûs, ordinis, dignitatis, præeminentiæ vel conditionis existant, necnon et eorum officiariis sive locatenentibus cunctis, denique aliis benivolis, alligatis, confœderatis et feudatis nostris, ad quos, etc., salutem et prospera votorum incrementa. Nunc siquidem terræ marisque globum, quo mortales omnes fruimur, idcirco a divina providentia constitutum fabricatumque fuisse constat, ut universo animantium generi communis semper pateret sedes, atque eo uti proarbitrio cuique liceret utpote communi omnium domicilio. Hinc est quod et nostrorum aliqui ad aliena peregrinaque regna et peregrinorum exterorumque nonnulli ad nostra, seu voluntate seu necessitate ducti, sese quandoque transferunt. Rem profecto non minus æquam quam et humanam et jocundam. Quid enimvero aut justius aut humanius jocundiusve esse potest, quam homines, variis ortos mundi climatibus, nec iisdem educatos moribus, fidei Christianæ cultores, frequens simul habere commercium, atque una pariter vivere et amice versari, terramque ipsam, vitalium omnium matrem, simul incolere et possidere. Cum itaque in præsentiarum venerabilis vir dominus Christoforus juris utriusque doctor elemosinarius noster carissimus Romam versus iter arripiat, quo promissa Deo ac divi Petri apostoli Basilicæ 4 Feb.

1486. pia quædam vota persolvat, indeque ad serenissimum 1 Hen.VII.
regem Nepolitanum, et ad alios item Christianos principes sit accessurus, tam pro suis quam nostris nonnullis agendis negotiis, quæ eidem duntaxat coram in mandatis dedimus. Vos omnes et singulos prænominatos reges, principes, duces, marchiones, comites, ac dominos quoscumque, et quemlibet vestrum, cum omni cordis affectu, obnixe rogamus et obtestamur quatenus eundem Dominum Cristoforum elemosinarium nostrum, quandocumque hac in sua peregrinatione ad regna, dominia, jurisdictiones, et potestates vestras, seu alicujus vestrum declinare aut venire contigerit, intuitu nostro et specialium precum nostrarum interventu, commendatum habentes, cum familiaribus suis, equitibus vel peditibus, per vestras civitates, terras, oppida, castra, villas, pontes, portus, passus, flumina et loca quæcumque transeundo, cum suis equis, valisiis, sarcinis, arnesiis, manticis, fardellis, bulgeis, litteris, libris et aliis bonis suis quibuscumque quæ secum attulerit seu per alios afferri fecerit, die noctuque, tam terra quam mari, benigne suscipiatis, et eum ibidem morari seu per eadem regna dominia, jurisdictiones, et potestates vestras, cum sibi placuerit tute libere et expedite, sine solutione alicujus dacii, pedagii, passagii, vectigalis, gabellæ, bulectarum, fundinavis, ac sine alterius cujusvis oneris exactione, et absque omni prorsûs impedimento sive perturbatione, ire, redire, et transire permittatis, sine aliqua aperitione librorum, litterarum, manticarum, fardellorum, bulgiarum aut arnesiorum, necnon eidem suisque de salvo et securo conductu per passus loca, jurisdictiones et dominia vestra cujuslibetque vestrûm, si necesse fuerit, rationabilibus suis sumptibus et expensis provideatis, non inferentes ei aut suis quomodolibet seu inferri permittentes, in corporibus sive bonis, damnum, impedimentum, violentiam, injuriam, molestiam seu gravamen aliquid, quin sibi potius suisque in eorum agendis, si egeant, consilium, auxilium et

1 Hen. VII. favorem impartiri, nostra causa dignemini; ad hæc si quid eidem vel cuiquam ex suis injuriæ molestiæve in corporibus aut bonis illatum fuerit, id ei vel eisdem nostris precibus et amore reformari confestim emendarique curetis, offerentes nos pariter in subditos vestros aut cujuslibet vestrum, qui ad regna, dominia sive jurisdictiones nostras se contulerint, gratiosissimos semper futuros. Vobis insuper universis et singulis vicecomitibus, majoribus, ballivis, custumariis, custodibus portuum maris, et aliorum locorum maritimorum, officiariis, ministris, ligeis, vassallis et subditis nostris quibuscumque, sub obedientia nostra, tam citra quam ultra mare constitutis, quantum ad vos seu quemlibet vestrum pertinet aut pertinere poterit, injungimus, præcipimus, et districte mandamus quatenus antedictum dominum Cristoforum elemosinarium nostrum, in eundo, equitando, perhendinando, morando et redeundo, per regna, dominia, potestates, et jurisdictiones nostras quascumque, cum servientibus, familiaribus, equis, libris, litteris, manticis, fardellis, bulgeis, valisiis ac aliis rebus, bonisque et hernesiis suis licitis quibuscumque, manuteneatis, protegatis et defendatis. Non inferentes ei, vel eis, seu quantum in vobis est ab aliis inferri permittentes, injuriam, molestiam, damnum, violentiam, impedimentumve aliquod, seu gravamen; quinimmo, si quid eidem vel cuipiam ex suis injuriæ illatum fuerit, id sine dilatione, debite, corrigi et reformari faciatis. In cujus, etc. Data per manum nostram apud palatium nostrum Westmonasterii quarto die Februarii. Fr. m. 10 (6). 1486.

Grant, in survivorship, to John Conyers, knight for the king's body, and William Conyers, his kinsman and heir (in consideration of good and faithful service to the king), of the offices of bailiff of the franchise and liberty of Richemond, co. York, of steward, constable, and master of the forest of the same, together with the office of constable of the castle of Middelham, co. York; with wages and fees of 200 marks a year out 4 Feb.

1486. of the issues, &c. of the lordships of Skalepark, Raunde, Swaledale, Bowes, Arkylgarth Dale, Thornton, and Erle Orchard. Orig. m. 68. 1 Hen. VII.

5 Feb. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Lathell, clerk of the pipe in the Exchequer, of 12*d.* a day, out of the issues of the county of Hants., in the same way as Robert Malton and Robert Cawode, late clerks of the pipe, had. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24).

5 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains (of the Exchequer) to pay to Peter Warton, whom the king, on the 3rd November last, appointed to be one of the yeomen of the Crown, with 6*d.* a day as his fee of the Crown, all arrears of the said fee and the fee itself from henceforth during his life. S. B. No. 132.

5 Feb. Lease, for 20 years, to Thomas Brereton, one of the ushers of the king's chamber, of the herbage of the park of Wegenok, co. Warwick, at 20 marks sterling by the year. 31 Jan. P. S. No. 660.

5 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains (of the Exchequer) to pay to Robert Kyng, whom the king, on the 3rd December last, appointed to be one of his serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day, all arrears of the said wages and the wages themselves from henceforth during his life. S. B. No. 133.

6 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to David Owen, knt., whom the king, on the 2nd January last, appointed to be his chief carver, with a salary of 50*l.* a year, all arrears of the said salary and the salary itself from henceforth during his life. S. B. No. 134.

6 Feb. Exemption to William Asheby, of Lowesby, co. Leic., esq., from serving in any office under the Crown against his will, and exemption from any penalties he might incur from refusing so to do. 5 Feb. P. S. No. 661. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16).

6 Feb. Licence (on account of the sincere love, affection, and devotion which the king bears towards the Holy and

1 Hen. VII. Undivided Trinity, and the glorious Virgin Mary, Mother of God, St. George, and all other Saints) to the king's dearest consort Elizabeth, queen of England, and his dearest mother Margaret, countess of Richmond, his beloved and faithful Thomas Bourgchier, knight, Reginald Bray, knight, and Master William Smyth, clerk, and his beloved Henry Norbrigge, Thomas Kyngeston, and John Clopton, rector of the parish church of the Holy and Undivided Trinity of Guldeford, co. Surrey, to found a perpetual chantry in the said church, built by the said Henry Norbrigge and Thomas Kyngeston, for one chaplain to perform Divine service daily for the healthful estate of the king, his consort, and his mother, the said Sir Thomas, Sir Reginald, Master William, Henry, and Thomas, during life, and for their souls after death, and for the souls of the said Henry Norbrigge and Thomas Kyngeston, and of all the faithful deceased, for ever, and for other works of piety and mercy, according to ordinances to be framed by the said grantees; the said chantry to be called Norbrigge and Kyngeston Chaunterie in the parish church of the Holy Trinity of Guldeford, for ever; the chaplain and each of his successors to be called the chaplain of the Norbrigge and Kyngeston Chantry in the parish church of the Holy Trinity of Guldeford, for ever; and he and they to have perpetual succession, to be capable in law of purchasing lands, &c. in fee and perpetuity, and to be able to implead and be impleaded, to prosecute and defend, and be defended in all courts, &c. whatsoever, in all actions, real, personal, and mixt suits, &c. Further licence also to the grantees to endow the said chaplain and his successors with lands, &c. to the value of 10 marks per annum, to be held by them according to ordinances to be framed by the said grantees, even though the same lands, &c. be held of the king or any other person in capite; with licence to the said chaplain and his successors to hold the same, the statute of mortmain notwithstanding, and without fine, fee, or writ of ad quod 1486.

1486. damnum, or other proceeding, &c. 31 Jan. P. S. No. 662. 1 Hen. VII. Pat. p. 4. m. 3 (22).

6 Feb. Safe conduct and special protection, for one year, to George Edwardson, Robert de Dunsyar, John Meldrum, and Master Andrew Cadyhoith', merchants of the kingdom of Scotland, their factors and attornies, with 20 servants, to import into England from Scotland, and to export from England into Scotland, in a Scotch ship of 80 tons burden, and manned with two masters, 20 sailors, and two lads, goods and merchandize of every kind, paying the customs and other monies due thereon. 4 Feb. P. S. No. 663.

6 Feb. Inspeximus and confirmation of a bull of Pope [Sixtus IV.] dated at St. Peter's, Rome, 3 Kal. March (27 Feb.), A.D. 1483, in which he grants to the inhabitants, both secular and ecclesiastical, of the Channel Islands, i.e., Jersey, Guernsey, and Aureney, and the islands adjacent thereto, the help and authority of the Church, by interdict, anathema, and other forms of censure, for the repression of piracy, robbery, and violence, to which, owing to their insular position, they, and all visiting their shores, whether as merchants or in any other capacity, are peculiarly liable. [This document is in very bad condition, and illegible in many parts. It can only be described in general terms.] P. S. No. 664.

6 Feb. Writ addressed to John Echyngham, esq., Edmund Jenney, Thomas Bayneard, the sheriff of Suffolk, and John Foster, directing the arrest of Robert Hyll and his production in Chancery, to answer to such matters as may be objected against him by Thomas Medfeld, one of the chaplains of the king's mother, the lady Margaret. Pat. p. 2. m. 17 d. (9 d.)

6 Feb. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the treasourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where oure trusty and welbeloved servauntes Nicholas Flynte and

1 Hen. VII. Edmond Shaw, of late, aswele before the fest of Cristemas and Newyerstide as against the fest of Twelftyde, for certain silver and gold, as in making and mending of diverse juelx of ours, amounting in alle to the somme of xxx. li. viij. s. vij. d., as by a bille conteyning the parcelles and sommes particularie herein enclosed more clerely doth appere, and for the which thei have not perceived of us any paiement; we, willing theim duely thereof to be contented and paied, wol and charge you that withoute delaie, incontinent upone the sight hereof, in redy money, ye paie and content to the foresaid Nicholas and Edmond the foresaid xxx. li. viij. s. vij. d., for the causes before expressed, withoute prest or othere charge to be sett upon theim for the same. And these oure lettres shalbe unto you sufficient warrant and discharge. Yeven undre oure prive seelle, at oure palois of Westminster, the vith daie of Februarv, the furst yere of oure reigne. 1486.

Schedule.

Anno primo regis Henrici Septimi.

In primis, due to Nicholas Flynt for ii. vises for two cuppes, the making and gilting, weying i. oz. di.— vii. s. vi. d.

Item, for ii. lases of gold & ii. aglettes; price - xviii. d.

Item, for making of a barbour's basen - xx. s.

Item, for mending & gilting of a spice plate - xl. s.

Item, for a gilt pomelle to a cuppe, weying ii. oz. iij. quarters - xiij. s. ix. d.

Item, for mending & gilting of the Newyere yeftes,— iiij. li.

Item, for the weght, making, & gilting of two flowres loste at the coronacione - iii. s. iiiid.

Item, for the weght and making of iii. colers - xx. s.

Item, for the mending of the kingis garter and of his diamond that he wereth - ii. s. iiij. d.

1486. Item, for the weght, making, ℸ gilting of a floure, loste upone the Twelfth day - iij. š. iiij. đ. 1 Hen. VII.

Item, for ii. pounces of the kingis armes for to marke the kingis vesselt with - iij. š. iiij. đ.

Item, for mending and soudring of ii. ewers, and of a vice belonging to a gilt pomelt - iiij. š.

Item, for making and gilting of a cuppe of asay - xx. š.

Item, for mending of a candilstyk - xii.

Item, for his botehire at diverse tymes, bringing plate up and downe from London to Westminstre - vi. š. viii. d.

Item, for a gilt cuppe of asay, yeven to my Lord of Oxoñ at the coronacion, weying xix. oz. iii. quarters— iiij. li. xix. š. iiij. đ.

Summa, xvi. li. vi. š. i. đ.

Item, due to Edmund Shawe, for a goblet of gold pounč, yeven to my lady of Bedford; price - xiiij. l. ii. š. vi. đ.

Item, for a floure of gold and of moder of perylle, yeven to Moyn Semor Shaundeler; price - xx. š.

Summa, xiiij. li. ii. š. vj. d.

Summa totalis, xxx. li. viij. š. vii. đ.

P. S. No. 665.

6 Feb. Grant to Thomas Tawe, the younger, of the custody of three rents of 26 acres of land in Boseham, with appurtenances, late in the tenure of William de la Lane of Fesshebourne, which the same William lately held of the serjeanty of Roger Papiloun, in the town of Boseham, from Michaelmas last, for 21 years, at a yearly rent of 15*s.*, and a yearly improved rent of 6*d.* Orig. m. 15.

8 Feb. Special pardon for Robert Throkmarton, late sheriff of Warwickshire and Leicestershire, for all fines and arrears of accompts touching his office, grounded upon the following petition:—"Mekely besechethe youre hyghe-
" nesse your trewe and feithfulle liege man and servant
" Robert Throckmarton, squyer, late by your seid
" hyghenesse incontynent after your most noble and

1 Hen. VII. " victorious acte of conquest in repressyng your gret 1486.
" ennemyes, Richard, late duke of Gloucestre, and othir,
" made and deputed sheriff of your countees of Warre-
" wyk and Leycestre, and whiche sheriffwyk your seid
" liege occupied but by the space of one monethe or
" fulle litille more, and in whiche tyme of occupacioun
" was within this your realme suche rebellioun and
" troble, and your lawes not stablysshed, that youre
" seid liege neither myght ne coude execut his seid
" office of sheriffwyk to eny profite of your seid hyghe-
" nesse, and for which occupacioun your seid liege
" is chargeable to accompte to your hyghenesse afore
" the barons of your Eschequiere as though he had
" occupied the same office peasibly by the space of an
" hole halfe yere, where he therein never resceyved
" eny peny, whiche accompt if he shuld soo make and
" fynysshe wolle be to his utter undoyng. Please your
" seid hyghnesse, the premysses considered at the reve-
" rence of God, to graunt to your seid liege your gracious
" lettres of pardon, in due and effectuell forme to be
" made under youre brode scalle, accordyng to the
" tenure herafter ensuyng, and he woll ever pray God
" for the conservacioun of your most roialle astate."
Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

Letters of denization to Master Adam Rydle alias Whithed, chaplain, a native of Scotland, granting him leave, amongst other privileges, to accept canonically any benefice under the dignity of a deanery that may be offered him in England. S. B. No. 135. 8 Feb.

Pardon and release to Thomas Wortley, knt., and Joan his wife, for all offences committed by them before the date hereof, and from all the penalties attaching thereto. S. B. No. 136. 8 Feb.

The king, by the assent of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, leases to Thomas Bryce, for seven years, the site of the manor of Kingeston-lacy, with the grange, dovecot, &c. in the said site; 24 acres of meadow in Michelmede; 63 acres of meadow in Eymede; a close 8 Feb.

1486. called Purchey ; a close called Outorchard ; agistment for sheep in Ey, between Palm Sunday and Hokday ; agistment for cattle, between Hokday and the gules of August ; agistment for sheep in "le Diche," between Hokday and the gules of August ; agistment for cattle in Stoneham and Bradmere ; the fishery of the water of Stone, &c. L. R. 197. 1 Hen. VII.

8 Feb. By the king.

Dere in God, we late you wite that we havyng tendrely in consideracioun how that oure welbeloved in God, Dame Johane Bampton, forsaking this worldely occupacion entendyng only to the service of God, hath taken upon here the lyf of religion of a nunne in Iklyngton, whereof ye be prioresse, and the said Dame Johane ful religiously in greet vertue hath abyden in quiete reste and cherisshing, as we credibilely enfourmed, unto now late that ye by diverse rigours, by cause she was not aplied to worldely occupacions, have punisshed here in diverse manere, as we be also credible enfourmed. Wherefore we, consideryng the premisses, wolle therefore and pray you hertely, and also straitely charge you, that ye favoure and cherisshe the said Dame Johane after the contemplatif reule of religion and hire good conversacioun. Soo that neither she ner any of here frendes may have cause hereafter to complayne unto us, nor sue for socure and remedie in this partie. And that ye faille not hereof as ye wolle doo us plesire. Yeven undre oure prive seal at Westmynstre the viii. day of Feverer. S. B. No. 137.

8 Feb. Grant, during pleasure, to the prior and convent of the order of Friars Preachers in the University of Oxford, of 50 marks a year out of the royal alms, from the issues, &c. of the county of Devon, in conformity with the practice of the king's progenitors from Edw. I. downwards. 4 Feb. P. S. No. 666. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13).

8 Feb. Special pardon to Robert Throkmarton, late sheriff of Warwickshire and Leicestershire, touching fines, arrears of accompts &c. whilst sheriff. Pat. p. 2. m. 14 (12).

1 Hen. VII. Grant to Adam Thomas of the offices of keeper of the garden and hayward pertaining to the lordship and castle of Burgevenny during the minority of Edward earl of Warwick. 1 Feb. P. S. No. 667. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13). 1486. 9 Feb.

Grant to Raynold Hassal of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Okham, co. Rutland, during the minority of the heirs of the king's cousin, the late duke of Buckingham. 5 Feb. P. S. No. 668. Del. 11 Feb. Pat. p. 4. m. 9 (16). 9 Feb.

Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to surcease from all process which has been awarded out of the Exchequer against Thomas Crofte, late one of the collectors of customs and subsidies of Richard, late, in deed and not in right, king of England, the Third, in the port of the town of Bristol, to compel him to yield accompt of the said custom and subsidies from Michaelmas, 2 Ric. III. S. B. No. 138. 9 Feb.

Licence to Walter Dolyng of Tawnton, co. Somerset, merchant, to export from the ports of the towns of Topsham and Lyme into foreign parts a thousand pieces of tin, Cornish tin, or Devonshire tin of the same value as the Cornish tin; the customs thereupon due to be duly paid. S. B. No. 139. 9 Feb.

Grant, for life, to William Michell (in consideration of the faithful and diligent service performed by him, as well for the king's most dear mother as for the king himself), of the office of keeper of the park of Bagshote within the forest of Windesore, with wages, &c. out of the farm of a messuage called le Crowne, in Bagshote, and all other possessions belonging to the Crown in Bagshote and Wynesham, co. Surrey. S. B. No. 140. 9 Feb.

Grant to George Baynbrege of the custody of the manors and lordships of Tuderley and Lokerley, co. Southampton, with all things pertaining thereto, from Michaelmas last, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 4*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* Orig. m. 16. 9 Feb.

1486. 10 Feb. Inspeximus and confirmation of letters patent dated 28 January, 8 Edw. IV., reciting letters patent dated 8 July, 18 Ric. II., by which the inhabitants and people of the islands of Guernesey, Serk, and Aureney are granted exemption from tolls, customs, subsidies, pontage, pavage, murage, carriage, fossage, and other monies due to the Crown, in consequence of the constancy and manly conduct they have exhibited towards the king's progenitors, and the great perils and losses they have sustained in saving the said islands, and reducing the castle of Mount Orgil: all liberties granted by former kings to their ancestors are fully confirmed to them. S. B. No. 141. 1 Hen. VII.

10 Feb. Grant, for life, to Christopher Sandes, of the office of porter of the inner gate and outer gate of the castle of Carlisle, with wages, &c. out of the issues of the county of Cumberland. 14 Nov. P. S. No. 669. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2).

10 Feb. Mandate directed to Edward Wydevile, knt., captain of the Isle of Wight, and all sheriffs, &c., commanding that an inquisition be taken touching the following circumstances:—Thomas le Moyns, factor of Giles de Bernoveld, merchant of Rouen, in Normandy, being, about the feast of St. Martin last past, in a ship called "the "Cristofer" of Croswyk, in Brittany, whereof Maurice Carnak, a Breton, was master and owner, near the coast of Normandy, sailing for the port of Rouen, was attacked by John Roger, William Clerk, William Jekenell Alan Taillour, a Breton, John Sym, and Edmund Bocher, owners, masters, &c. of two English ships, manned in a warlike manner, who entered into and plundered the "Cristofer," notwithstanding the truces existing between England and Charles of France, and after putting her men ashore in Normandy took the Cristofer to the Isle of Wight, and distributed her cargo. If these circumstances prove true, the offenders are to be arrested and compelled to restore the cargo, and if they refuse so to do they are to be brought before the council to show

1 Hen. VII. cause against their making restitution. The whole of the proceedings are to be certified to the council. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 d (24 d). 1486.

Similar mandate on the representation of Maurice Carnak, mentioned in the last entry. The seizure is here described as being made contrary to treaties existing between England and Charles of France and Francis, duke of Brittany. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 d (24 d).

Protection, to last 10 years, for the merchants of Venice, their factors, attornies, and servants, in all places within the king's dominions, for their ships of every kind, and their merchandize of every description imported or exported: special proviso that goods not sold, upon which duties shall have been once paid upon entering the kingdom, shall not be chargeable with further customs, but may be taken elsewhere duty free. 31 Jan. P. S. No. 670. 10 Feb.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to William Vampage, esq., whom the king, on the 8th January last, appointed to be one of his sewers, with wages of 50 marks a year, all arrears of the said wages and the wages themselves henceforth during his life. S. B. No. 142. 10 Feb.

Commission addressed to all sheriffs and others, and to William Myles, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, and Thomas Bambroke, a yeoman of the Crown, directing that inquisition be made into the following circumstances:—In the month of August last certain sea-captains of France, contrary to the treaties existing between France and Venice, seized four vessels belonging to merchants of Venice, which were lying at anchor off the coast of Spain, and sold the merchandize wherewith they were laden, amongst others, to divers English merchants. Inquiry is to be made as to what merchandize was brought into this country after the said spoliation, by whom and to whom sold; and all such merchandize that can be found is to be arrested and detained. A day is 10 Feb.

1486. to be fixed for the parties concerned to appear before the council to answer the premises. The council is to be certified of all proceedings. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 d (2 d). 1 Hen. VII.

10 Feb. Grant to John Dounham, esq., of the custody of the manor or lordship of Parlethorpe, co. Notts., with all pertaining thereto, from Michaelmas last, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence, and as long as the same shall remain in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 4*l.* 10*s.*, and a yearly improved rent of 4*d.* Orig. m. 20.

10 Feb. Letters of protection, for one year, for William Saltwyn, of Bisschoppes Lynne, co. Norfolk, joyner, who is going upon the king's service in the company of William Rosse, esq., victualler of the town and castle of Calais and the marches of the same, to make stay there, touching the safe keeping and victualling of the town, castle, and marches aforesaid. Fr. (5) 11.

11 Feb. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Lovelas, esq., of an annuity of 50 marks out of the issues, &c. of the town of Calais and the marches of the same. S. B. No. 143.

11 Feb. Grant, for life, to William Martyn, of the corrody within the monastery of Tywardrayth, co. Cornwall. 25 Oct. P. S. No. 671.

11 Feb. Grant, during pleasure, to John Blondell, of the office of bailiff of the island of Guernesey. P. S. No. 672. 5 Feb. Pat. p. 2. m. 10 (16).

11 Feb. Licence to Cecil, duchess of York, to export annually, duty free, 250½ sacks of wool from the ports of London, Sandwich, and Southampton, or elsewhere, retaining the customs thereupon due, until an annuity for life of 689*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* shall be provided for her from some other source; in compensation for the nonpayment of two several annuities of 400*l.* and 289*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* granted to her (in lieu of her jointure) by patent dated 1 June, 1 Edw. IV. (p. 4. m. 1), out of the customs of wool, &c. at the ports of Kingston upon Hull and London. 5 Jan. P. S. No. 673. Pat. p. 2. m. 7 (19).

1 Hen. VII. Mandate to pay to James Lee, whom the king, on the 8th November last, appointed to be one of his serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day. S. B. No. 144. 1486. 11 Feb.

Grant, for life, to John Trasillion (in consideration of the fidelity and cordial love which he has exhibited towards the king, and of his excelling and learning in divers arts and chiefly in the manufacturing arts, in which the same John is very learned), of an annuity of 24*l.* out of the farm of the hundreds of Kyftegate, Holford, and Greston, together with the fairs and markets held in the town of Wynchecombe, by the hands of the abbot and convent of Wynchecombe and the sheriff of the county of Gloucester.[1] S. B. No. 145. 11 Feb.

Grant to John, earl of Oxford, of the custody of the manor or lordship of Busshy, co. Herts., for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 41*l.* 13*s.* 5½*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 6*s.* 6½*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 20. 11 Feb.

Grant to Robert Coltred of the office of one of the foresters within the forest belonging to the lordship of Hatfeld, co. York, which one Chestre late had, with all emoluments such as Chestre had. 9 Dec. S. B. No. 146. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2). 12 Feb.

Licence to Nicholas Fonachin and John de Curia to give 7 virgates of land, and to other inhabitants of Gernezeie to give 12 virgates of land, in the island of Gernezeie, in mortmain, to the guardians and Friars Minors called "de Novo," in the said island, upon the following recital:—By authority of the pope, at the intercession and request of divers residents and inhabitants of the said island, the said Friars Minors have begun the building of a poor little chapel or church to the honour of the blessed Virgin Mary, St. Francis, and all Saints, for the performance of Divine service, &c., and a habitation for the same friars according to 12 Feb.

[1] See under date 7 Aug., Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9). 20*l.* only is granted.

1486. their estate of most sacred poverty. Divers inhabitants of the said island intend to grant them land if the king's licence be first obtained; viz., Nicholas Fonachin 3 virgates of land, and John de Curia 4 virgates of land, in the parish of St. Peter's Port, and the place commonly called Cachenassal, and other inhabitants to the extent of 12 virgates more in the said island. 10 Feb. P. S. No. 674. 1 Hen. VII.

13 Feb. Writ addressed to Randal Pygot, knt., John Nevile, knt., John Sotehill, Tristram Bollyng, Raynburgh Bollyng, and the sheriff of York, directing the arrest of Walter Haukesworth, gentleman, and his production before the council in one month of Easter next coming. Pat. p. 2 m. d (24 d).

13 Feb. Confirmation of letters patent dated at Westminster, 6 July, 18 Edw. IV., granting to John Wrythe the office of principal herald, or Garter, king of English arms, by the name of "le Gartier." Further grant, for life, of 40*l.* a year, as wages in the said office, from 22 Aug. last, since when he has performed the duties thereof without salary, out of the issues, &c. of the counties of London and Midd., with a livery every year of the same kind, and taken in the same way as the principal herald or king of arms temp. Edw. III. had, from the great wardrobe for life, &c. 12 Feb. P. S. No. 675. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14).

13 Feb. Mandate to the receiver of the duchy of Cornwall, to pay to Sir Richard Egecombe, knt., comptroller of the king's household, who has filled the office of feodary of the said duchy, and has accompted for the same for a year without receiving any pay, a year's salary out of any monies that may be in his hands.

13 Feb. Request to the keeper of the privy seal, from Sir Richard Crofte, knt., treasurer of the household to the king, to pay to Sir Giles Daubeney, knt., master of the hart hounds, 12*d.* a day, Thomas Stoughton, serjeant of the same, 7½*d.* a day, and various inferior officers

1 Hen. VII. lesser sums per diem, as the wages belonging to their several offices. S. B. No. 147. 1486.

General pardon to Thomas Wortley, knt., and Joan his wife, of all offences committed by them before the date hereof, and release from all the penalties attaching thereto. 8 Feb. P. S. No. 676. 14 Feb.

Grant, for life, to John Rodon, of the "rule and kep- " ing of the place called Broken Wharffe," in the parish of Saint Mary Somerset within the city of London, without accompt, taking all profits, &c. to his own use and behoof. 4 Nov. P. S. No. 677. 14 Feb.

The king, by the advice of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, leases, for seven years, to Thomas Wheler of Weston, in co. Southampton, the site of the manor of Weston, rendering annually for the same 12*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* L. R. 197. 14 Feb.

The king, by the advice of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, leases, for seven years, to Robert Brown, the manor of Hynton, in co. Berks., rendering annually for the same 9*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and 3*s.* 4*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 211. 14 Feb.

Grant, during pleasure, to Adrian Whetehill (for good and gratuitous service in the town and marches of Calais), of the offices of comptroller of the town and marches of Calais, and of the money made and to be made there, and of changer and assayer of the said money, with wages of 20*l.* a year as comptroller, 20*l.* a year for the support of himself and his clerks, and 40 marks a year as changer and assayer, out of the customs upon wools and woolfels, and the issues, &c. of the town of Calais. 6 Feb. P. S. No. 678. 15 Feb.

Grant, during pleasure, to Adrian Whetehill, comptroller of the town of Calais and the marches thereof, of 40*l.* a year, in the same way as Richard Whetehill had the same by grant from Edw. IV., as well out of the customs of 8*d.* from each sack of wool and woolfels, without the town of Calais, as of all issues, &c. 15 Feb.

1486. of the town of Calais and the marches thereof, upon the following recital:—Adrian Whetehill has been put to great and divers charges, costs, and expenses, as well in carefully guarding the said town and marches as in attending to the king's profit in the said office of comptroller in all the localites and places within the said town and marches, to his great loss therein. He still continues to bear these charges. The wages and grants made to him by the king and his progenitors or predecessors are not sufficient to support this expenditure, as the king has been most certainly informed. 11 Feb. P. S. No. 679. 1 Hen. VII.

15 Feb. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Lovelas, esq., of an annuity of 50 marks a year out of the issues, &c. of the town of Calais and marches thereof. 11 Feb. P. S. No. 680.

15 Feb. The king, by the assent of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, leases, for seven years, to Robert Roos, the agistment of the park of Pountfret, and a certain pasture within the park called Vaccarisclose, parcel of the said duchy, leaving sufficient pasture for the king's deer within the said park, rendering annually for the agistment of the said park 59*s*., and for the said pasture 21*s*. L. R. 86.

15 Feb. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. For as moche as we have appoincted oure trusty and welbeloved squier Richard Salkeld, counstable of oure castelle of Carlyle, to have atte this tyme the somme of fourty poundes sterling delivered unto him by the handes of the moste reverend fadre in God tharchiebisshope of York, oure tresourere of England, in partie of paiement of suche money as we owe unto the said Richard and the soldeours undre him for the sauf keping of oure said castelle and the marches theraboutes. We therfore wol and charge you that, incontinently upon the receipt of

1 Hen. VII. thies oure lettres, ye delyver unto the bringer herof, in the name of the said Richard, the said summe of fourty poundes sterling. And thies oure lettres shalbe your warrant and sufficient discharge in that behalve. Yeven undre our prive seel, at oure palaice of Westminstre, the xvth day of February, the furst yere of our reigne. S. B. No. 148. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Beauchamp, knt., of the office of keeper of the forests of Blakemore and Peawsham, co. Wilts, to hold in the same way as "Thomas Stafford "late had and occupied the same of the yift of Richard, "late duc of Gloucestre." 8 Feb. P. S. No. 681. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13). 15 Feb.

Grant to William Trussell, esq., of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Maxstok, co. Warwick, and keeper of the park there; also of constable of the castle of Maxstok, and keeper of the gate thereof, during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham. 10 Feb. P. S. No. 682. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7). 15 Feb.

Grant to Nicholas Knyfton, esq., of the custody of two parts of the manor of North Duffeld, co. York, with everything pertaining thereto, from Michaelmas last, during the minority of Anne Salvan, daughter and heir of John Salvan, late of Duffeld, co. York, knt., at a yearly rent of 40*l.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 16. 16 Feb.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved John Pegge, squier, oone of the sewers of our chaumbre, gretyng. And how be it that we of late, by our lettres patentes, undre our seale of our duchie of Lancaster, graunted unto you the balyshipp of our lordshipp of Gryngley, parcel of our duchie afforesed; forsomoche as it is now evidently shewed, oun the behalf of our tenaunts of our seid lordshipp, that they have used and accustomed hertofore to elect and chose the baily of the same amonge theym self, whenn so ever that office should happen tobe voyde, and hym to present to the stuard ther for the tyme beying; we, not willyng their seid usage and custume to be broken, wol therfor and charge you, that ye suffre our 16 Feb.

1486. seid tenauntes to enyoie the same, and such baily as they shal chose, accordyng to their custume, to occupie the seid office without lett or disturbaunce of you, or eny for you, and that ye, immediatly uppoun the sight herof, surcease of ferther occupacioun and medelyng therof, by reason of our seid lettres patentes of the saed office by us to you made, or any other commaundment to you yoven in any wise notwithstandyng. Yeven, &c., the xvj. daie of Feverer, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

16 Feb. Grant to John Alfegh, gentleman, of the custody of the manor or lordship of Codeham, co. Kent, with everything pertaining thereto, from Michaelmas last, during the minority of Thomas Fenys, kinsman and heir of Richard Fenys, Lord Dacre, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 25 marks, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 16.

16 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer, &c. of the Exchequer to surcease from all process awarded out of the Exchequer against Sebastian Gyles. The recital is as follows:—

Where William Hody, oure attourney, came before you oure said barons in oure saide Eschequier, the xxvij. day of January last passed, in his propre persone, and there for us gave an informacion that oon Sebastian Gyles, marchiaunt, of Luke, holdith, and by a great tyme, that is to say, from the xxij. day of August last past unto the said xxvij. day of January, helde an opyn and comyn eschaunge at London, in the parisshe of Saint Stephins, in Colmanstrete, in the ward of Colmanstrete, of London, and there receyved and hadde many grete sommys of money of dyvers parsones within the tyme abovesaid, that is to say, of Dan Simond Rypplcy, chosen to be abbot of the monasterye of Saint Werburge of Chestir, the xvi. day of Novembre last passed, at London, in the parisshe and warde aforsaid, ccc. marcs of sterlinges by wey of exchaunge, ayenst the fourme of a statute in that behalve made, in contempt, derogacioun, and hurt of us, as afore you oure said barons more pleanly it doth appere. S. B. No. 149.

1 Hen. VII. Mandate to the treasurer of the Exchequer to strike a tally upon the collectors in the port of London for Richard Golofre of London, mercer, for 66*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.*, which the king is indebted to him for certain stuff delivered into the king's hands for his use. S. B. No. 150. 1486. 16 Feb.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to William Vampage, esq., whom the king appointed, on the 8th January last, as one of his sewers for life, with wages of 50 marks a year, 25 marks for the feast of the Purification last past. S. B. No. 151. 16 Feb.

Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to surcease from all processes awarded against Henry Wolf of Southwark, co. Surrey, hatmaker, and Gerard Vansconborough of Suthwerk, beer brewer, touching certain goods they should have accounted for, under an outlawry pronounced against Henry Wolf in the eleventh year of the reign of Edw. IV. S. B. No. 152. 16 Feb.

Grant to John Beron, knt., of the farm of the herbage of the park of Beskwode, and the pannage of the pigs within the same park, late in the tenure of Richard Besage and William Fletcher, from Michaelmas last, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 10*l.*, and an improved yearly rent of 20*d.* Orig. m. 19. 16 Feb.

Grant of denization to Richard ap Llewellin ap Hulkyn alias Res ap Llewellin ap Hulkyn (in consideration of true service done to the king, as well in his last victorious feld as otherwise), extending to him all the privileges of an Englishman, with enfranchisement from the penal enactments made against the Welsh in the second year of Henry IV. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2). 16 Feb.

Leave of absence from Ireland, for three years, for Thomas Ormond, earl of Ormond, chamberlain to the king's consort Elizabeth, queen of England, and that he may dwell during that period in England or elsewhere, and receive the rents, issues, &c. of his possessions in Ireland by the hands of agents, &c. 15 Feb. P. S. No. 683. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13). 17 Feb.

1486. 17 Feb. Mandate to John, bp. of Worcester, the lord chancellor, not to molest John Leye, on account of his homage, upon the following recital:—King Edw. IV., on the 20th Feb., in the third year of his reign (proof of age having been taken of John Leye, son and heir of John Leye, esq., deceased, who held in capite of King Henry VI., and the fealty of the same John to King Edw. IV. for the possessions of his father having been also taken), respited his homage until a certain day now past, and ordered his lands, &c. to be delivered up to him, all which is clearly proved upon inspection of the Chancery rolls. King Hen. VII. has received the homage due for the aforesaid lands, &c. S. B. No. 153. 1 Hen. VII.

17 Feb. Licence, for one year, to Robert Coort and John Hayes to export 1,000 quarters of wheat and other merchandize, in one or more vessels, to any countries in friendly relation with England, and to import goods and merchandize not belonging to the staple of Calais from those countries into England. 3 Feb. P. S. No. 684.

17 Feb. Grant, for life, to Katherine Montferrant, daughter of Bertrand, late Lord of Montferrant, of an annuity or yearly rent of 10 marks out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Beds. and Bucks. 13 Feb. P. S. No. 685. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13).

17 Feb. Grant, for life, to the king's brother, George, Lord Straunge (in consideration of the good and laudable service which oure righte trusti and entierly biloved brothre hath doone unto us in manifold wise to oure singlere pleasure, and soo herafter entendith to doo), of the office of constable of the castle of Wiklowe, in the land of Irland. 15 Feb. P. S. No. 686. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7).

17 Feb. To the king our soverain lord. Please it your highnesse, of your moost noble & habondant grace, to graunte your lettres of prive seal in fourme folowaing:—Henry, by the grace of God, &c. To the tresourer and chambrelains of our Eschequier, greting. Where as we undre-

1 Hen. VII. stande that our rebel and traitour Sir Robert Brakenbury, knyght, had in his keping oon cope standing gilt, weyeng xxxv. unces; also an othre cope standing, with a cover gilt, weyeng xix. unces ℔ đi; also an othre cope, with a cover gilt, weyeng xxv. unces ℔ đi; also an othre coope, with a cover gilt, weyeng xxvi. unces ℔ đi; and an othre cope, with a cover gilt, weyeng xx^{ti}ix. unces, the propriete wherof rightfully belongith to oure most dere and bestbeloved lady ℔ moder, the countesse of Richemond ℔ Derby, the which copes ℔ covers were late delivered unto your handes to our use and behove. We late you wite that, havyng respect to the premisses, we be content ℔ pleased that the said copes ℔ covers shalbe fully restored to our said lady ℔ moder, as right requireth. Wherfore we wol and charge you to deliver the same copes ℔ covers to our ful trusti clerk ℔ counseillour Master William Smyth, clerk of our hanaper in oure Chauncerie, to the use and behove of oure said moder, without any prest or othre charge setting upon hir in that behalve. And these oure lettres shalbe your suffisant warrant and discharge in that behalve. Yeven undre, &c. Data apud West. xvii^{o} die Februarii, anno regni regis Henrici Septimi primo. S. B. No. 154. 1486.

The king, by the advice of the council of the duchy of Lancaster, leases, for seven years, to John Agard, the lordship and manor of Scropton, with all things thereunto pertaining, rendering therefore annually 22*l.* 5*s.* 2*d.* L. R. 111. 17 Feb.

The king, by the advice of his council of the duchy, leases, for seven years, to Edmond Hykkes, a close called Temple Close, rendering therefore annually 4*l.* L. R. 197. 17 Feb.

Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Fitz William, of the office of receiver of the profits, &c. of the lordships of Wakefeld, Conysbourgh, and Haitfeld, co. York. 18 Feb. P. S. No. 687. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14). 17 Feb.

1486. Exemplification of patent dated 18 Dec., 49 Hen. VI. 1 Hen. VII.
17 Feb. (m. 14), granting to John Smeethe, clk., the office of master of the house or hospital of St. Mary of Bethelem without Bisshopisgate, London. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13).

18 Feb. Grant to Richard Lever of the custody of the manor or lordship of Arenden, co. York, with everything pertaining thereto, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 24*l.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 19.

18 Feb. Commission to the king's uncle, Jaspar, duke of Bedford, Thomas Savage, chancellor of the earldom of March, Owen Pole, clk., Edmund Mountforth, knt., James Baskervyle, knt., Morgan John Philip', Hugh Huntley, Thomas Morgan of Gloucester, and John Leighton, esq., to hear and determine all causes, plaints, and suggestions amongst the tenants, farmers, and inhabitants of the earldom of March, in Wales, and the marches thereof, and elsewhere, parcel of the said earldom; also to enjoin the auditor of the said earldom not to allow wages to any officer of parks, forests, or warrens where there is no game, or to keepers, &c of gaols, castles, or lordships where there is no habitation or edifice; also authority to the said chancellor to remove and replace all such ministers of that earldom as shall render iusufficient accompts, with discretionary powers touching the collection of certain rents in arrear; also authority to enter into any lands of that earldom not yet seized into the king's hands; also limitation of the power of leasing lands over 10*s.* yearly value, to the said chancellor exclusively, lands under that value being demisable by the bailiffs, &c. of the earldom, subject to his survey. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12).

18 Feb. Grant, for life, to Alicia Rippas, of Westminster, recluse, of an annuity of 6 marks sterling, out of the issues of the county of Southampton. 30 Jan. P. S. No. 688. Pat. p. 2. m. 9 (17) and p. 3. m. 26 (2).

18 Feb. Grant to Charles Beauford, knt., and his assigns, of the right of presentation, for one turn only, of a proper

1 Hen.VII. person to the free chapel or hospital of St. Katherine, near Bristoll, co. Somerset, when the same shall next be void. 17 Feb. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23). 1486.

Special pardon to John Hayne, late of Brodechalke, yeoman, for the homicide of William Staple, yeoman, as appears by inquest held before John Hampton and Robert Fenne, coroners in the county of Wilts., on Wednesday next after the feast of St. Thomas the Apostle last past. Pat. p. 2. m. 13 (13). 18 Feb.

Pope Innocent VIII. is informed by a writer, whose signature is illegible, that Giovanni Ambrosio de Negroni, with his partners, who trade in London (having discovered that a Spanish ship laden with alum from Piombino was on its voyage to Flanders) engaged some English mariners to capture the ship, because it carried alum belonging to the Holy See. The mariners in question attacked the Spaniard, not far from England, both parties fighting for a long time. Several were killed and wounded. The English, however, were victorious, and brought the captured ship into an English port. A Florentine merchant, possessing some interest in the alum, having ascertained the facts, petitioned the king to prohibit the alum being brought by force into the kingdom, inasmuch as alum hitherto had always been imported freely. Giovanni Ambrosio urged upon the king that the Florentine was excommunicated, and ought not to be heard, and that the alum was forfeited to the Apostolic Treasury. The king, on hearing both sides, sent the alum for safe custody to certain persons until decision of the suit. He expressed himself animated by the desire to favour the Apostolic See, but said he was new in the kingdom, which is governed by its own ancient laws, and that he could neither oppose, infringe, or abrogate them. He further stated that there was no prohibition against bringing alum into England, and the capture of the ship being unknown to the king, and without his consent, was an act which could not be tolerated, and ought not to remain unpunished. The 19 Feb.

1486. writer further intimated that Giovanni Ambrosio had committed the crime of lese Majesty, by suborning English mariners for the purpose of capturing Spaniards who are allied by treaty with king and kingdom. It would have been decreed that Giovanni Ambrosio should be prosecuted for lese Majesty, had the writer not interceded for him. The Pope is thereupon requested to write to the king, asking him to forbid the importation of alum from Piombino, and also to write to the archbishop of York and the bishops of Ely and Worcester, in favour of Giovanni Ambrosio and his company of merchants. V. S. M. 1 Hen. VII.

19 Feb. Thomas Pynchebek, sheriff, co. Lincoln, prays letters of privy seal to be directed to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer, directing that he is to accompt for his office by approwments for this year, and ordering them to make certain abatements in his accompts, in consequence of the following recital:—"For asmoche as oure "trusty and welbelovyd Thomas Pynchebek, by us "ordeigned and deputed to be shereff of oure countie of "Lincolne for this yere, hathe afore that he wolde take "upone him the said office, for certeyne causes for hym "alleged, utterly refused to take upone hym the same "withoute that it lyked us so to purvey for him that "he shulde take no losse in the said office, likewise as be "doone now in late yeres for other shireffes of the same "countie. We, considerynge the hurtes and mony folde "inconvenientes that shulde have ensuyd therupon, not "oonly to us, but also to oure sugettes in lettynge of "theire sutes at the comen lawe, if the said countie "longe shulde have stande destitute of a shireff," &c. S. B. No. 155.

19 Feb. Grant, for life, to Joan, widow of Edmund Ingaldesthorp, knt., of 111*l.* 0*s.* 2¾*d.* a year out of the subsidy and ulnage of saleable cloths in the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, and Essex, in compensation for an annuity mentioned in the recital, of which the following is a summary:—John Thornbury, escheator, co. Midd., by virtue

1 Hen. VII. of a writ directed to him, assigned to the above-mentioned Joan, out of the possessions of the said Edmund, which had been taken into the hands of the Crown on his death, 6th Dec., 35 Hen. VI., as her dower, an annuity of 111*l.* 0*s.* 2¾*d.*, for life, at the Exchequer, granted upon an annuity of 500 marks at the Exchequer, of which the said Edmund had died possessed. The said Joan is unable, except at great costs and charges to herself, to obtain payment of the said annuity at the Exchequer. 16 Feb. P. S. No. 689. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14). 1486.

Grant, for life, to James Tyrell, knt., of the offices of sheriff of the counties of Glamorgan and Margannok, steward of all the possessions of the Crown within the said counties and the members thereof, chancellor of the said counties, constable of the castle of Caerdiff, master forester within the said counties, and approver of all the before-mentioned possessions, with a salary of 100*l.*, the making and appointing of coroners, clerks of the Exchequer and Chancery there, and of all other officers and ministers of the courts within the said counties and the members thereof. 17 Feb. P. S. No. 690. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6). 19 Feb.

Grant to Stephen Calmady (in recompence of the great jeopardies, tribulation, and losses sustained by him heretofore in doing his service to the king when he was in the parts beyond the sea) of a ship, with all the tackle and apparailling belonging thereto, lately held by William Smyth, who has acted deceitfully towards the king with regard to the same. S. B. No. 156. 19 Feb.

Grant, in tail male, to William, earl of Notyngham, of the offices of earl marshal of England, marshal of the King's Bench, marshal of the Exchequer, crier of the marshal before the steward and marshal of the king's household, in as ample a way as John, late duke of Norfolk, son of John, duke of Norfolk, an ancestor of the said 19 Feb.

[1] There is a Signed Bill for this grant, delivered 26 Oct. 1485, but not enrolled until this date.

1486. earl, held the same; with 20*l.* a year for ever out of the fee-farm of the town of Ipswich, upon surrender of a patent granting him the same offices, during pleasure, on the 26th October last. 17 Feb. P. S. No. 691. Pat. p. 3. m. 27 (1). 1 Hen. VII.

20 Feb. Grant to Nicholas Manley (in consideration of services to the king in the last victorius and triumphant war) of the offices of bailiff and reeve of the town and lordship of Flamested, co. Herts., during the minority of the earl of Warwick, in as ample a manner as Richard Carlyle held the same. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7).

20 Feb. Grant, for life, to Thomas Sampson, of the office of keeper of the large garden within the town of Windesore, adjoining to the castle belonging to the Crown, with wages of 6*d.* a day by the hands of the constable of the said castle for the time being; also grant, for life, of 20*l.* a year, from 23 Aug. last, out of the customs and subsidies in the ports of the towns of Exeter and Dertmouth. 18 Feb. P. S. No. 692.

20 Feb. Establishment of a weighing machine (upon representations from divers of the king's lieges that great losses have been sustained for want of one) or pesage beam commonly called "le Kinge's Beme," in the ports of Exeter, Dertmouth, Plymmouth, and Topesham, co. Devon, and in all ports and places adjoining thereto, distinct from the pesage beam at the port of the town of Southampton, but to be administered in the said way; grant also, for life, to Richard Waget, of the custody thereof, at a yearly rent of 10 marks. A clause exempts him from paying anything during the first year. 18 Feb. P. S. No. 693. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22).

20 Feb. To the king our soveraigne lord.

Mekely besechith youre highnes your true and feithfull liegeman and contynuell oratour William Crosseley, that in consideracioun of his true hert which he hath borne unto your moste noble grace, and evermore shalle beare, and for that oone William Birley, felaw of your

1 Hen. VII. college called the Kinge's Halle, within your Universite of Cambrige, is in wille to renunce, resigne, and levee his rowme and title there to the behoff and proffite of your said besecher, which is disposed to lerne and studie within your said Universite, if he had exhibicioun. That it wol please youre most habundant grace to geve and graunte unto him the said rowne and title of oon felaw of your said college, soo renunced, resigned, or left. And herupon to comaunde the keper of your pryve seale to addresse your most graciouse lettres, undre your said seale, to the maister or keper of youre said college for the tyme beyng, or to his lieutenant in his absence, that aftre the renunciacioun, resignacioun, or dimission made as is abovesaid, he take, accept, and admitte your said pore oratour into oon felaw of your said college, and to ministre, or do to be ministred unto him, almaner of rights, proffits, and commodities to oon felaw there belonging, enduryng his lyf, notwithstanding any lyvelode or promocion to any benifice of the yearly value of xx. li., any acte, ordenaunce, or statute to the contrary made in any wise also natwithstanding. And your said pore oratour shall daily prey Almighty Jesu for the preservacioun of your most roialle estate. S. B. No. 157. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Master Richard Fox, the king's secretary (upon surrender of letters patent, temp. Edw. IV., granting the same office to Henry Sharp, for life), of the office of notary or prothonotary of the Chancery, from 22 Aug. last, with wages, out of the issues, &c. of the hanaper of the Chancery. S. B. No. 158. 20 Feb.

Grant, for life, to Adam Knight, of the office of keeper of the manor of Erthington, co. Warwick, and of the warren there, with such wages as David Madok had when in the same office. 19 Feb. P. S. No. 694. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7). 20 Feb.

Two grants, the one during pleasure, and the other for life, to Thomas Cotton, of the office of bailiff of the 20 Feb.

1486. lordship of Kertelynge, co. Cambridge. 13 Dec. P. S. 1 Hen. VII. No. 695. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24).

20 Feb. Grant, for life, to Vincent Tentelere, armourer, of the office of armourer to the king, with a salary of 20*l.* sterling a year, the king wishing to retain him in his service. 2 Dec. P. S. No. 696.

20 Feb. Memorandum, quod xx. die Februarii, regni regis Henrici Septimi primo, ista billa liberata fuit domino cancellario Angliæ apud Westmonasterium exequenda.

Rex dilectis et fidelibus suis Johanni domino de Clyfford, Thomæ Dacre de Dacre, Cristoforo Moresby militi, et Ricardo Salkell' armigero, salutem. Cum nuper, per nos, certi receptores et alii officiarii ad levandum et percipiendum exitus et proficua, de quibuscumque possessionibus, nobis infra comitatum nostrum Cumbriæ, quacumque de causa pertinentibus, assignati et deputati fuerant, quædam tamen personæ dicti comitatus, spiritu diabolico, repletæ et seductæ, bonum publicum hujus regni nostri pro viribus subvertere, et quasi commotionem populi facere, intendentes, ut informamur, dictis nostris officiariis quominus ipsi dicta exitus, et proficua levare et percipere valeant, resistunt et contradicunt adinvicem in routis et conventiculis illicitis sociando, quæ si impunita tollerarentur non solum in nostri præjudicium sed etiam publicæ detrimentum et inderogationem cederent manifeste. Nos, hujusmodi contradictores et malefactores secundum eorum demerita castigari, volentes ut convenit rationi, et de vestris probitatibus, providis circumspectionibus, plurimum in hac parte confidentes, assignavimus vos tres et duos vestrum ad inquirendum in comitatu prædicto, tam per sacramentum proborum et legalium hominum ejusdem comitatus per quos rei veritas melius sciri poterit, quam aliis viis, modis et mediis quibus sciveritis aut poteritis, per quos vel quem dicti nostri officiarii in executione officiorum suorum sunt impediti, ac ad ipsos et eorum quemlibet ac alios quoscumque qui se in routis et

1 Hen. VII. conventiculis illicitis ut præfertur associaverint, sine dilatione arrestandum et in prisonis nostris committendum, in eisdem, quousque pro eorum punitione aliter duxerimus ordinandum moraturos, et ad nos de nominibus eorundem in consilio nostro, distincte et aperte, sine dilatione certificandum. Et ideo, etc. Damus, etc. Teste, etc. S. B. No. 159. 1486.

Inspeximus and confirmation of a patent dated 3 Feb., 21 Edw. IV. (p. 1. m. 14), appointing Henry Brocas, priest and chaplain, to celebrate mass in the chapel of the manor of Eltham, for life, with such stipend as was received by John Sweteman of Peveriche, chaplain there temp. Edw. III., on the surrender of a former patent dated 20 July, 18 Edw. IV. (p. 2. m. 27), granting him, for life, the salary in the manor of Eltham, void by the death of John Amyas, late chaplain there. 20 Feb.

17 April.—Liberate to the farmers, &c. of the manor of Eltham to pay the said stipend. Pat. p. 4. m. 24 (1).

Grant, for life, to Thomas Roger, of the office of keeper or clerk of the king's ships within the kingdom of England and elsewhere, with wages of 12*d.* a day for himself, and 6*d.* a day for a clerk under him, out of the customs and subsidies in the ports of the towns of Exeter and Dertmouth; also appointment as purveyor and buyer of all stuffs and necessary articles for the said ships, and to take and seize for the king's use, whenever it may be needful, all manner of ships, in any places or ports within the realm, with 3*s.* a day, whenever he shall be so employed, for travelling expenses, out of the same customs, the number of days claimed for to be verified upon oath. 17 Feb. P. S. No. 697. Pat. p. 2. m. 1 (25). 21 Feb.

Grant, for life, to John Moton, esq., of the office of steward of the lordship of Bergevenny, in South Wales, with the same wages, fees, &c. as William Houghton, knt., and Nicholas Spicer heretofore had in the same 21 Feb.

1486. office; also further grant, for life, of the office of constable of the castle of Bergevenny, and of the office of doorward of the castle of Bergevenny, in South Wales aforesaid, with all fees, &c. belonging to same. 30 Jan. P. S. No. 698. 1 Hen. VII.

21 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer of the town of Calais to pay divers sums of money to Adrian and Richard Lovelas, which had been heretofore granted to them by letters patent of Edw. IV. and Ric. III., and which are confirmed to them by King Henry VII. S. B. No. 160.

21 Feb. General pardon to John Huddelston, esq., alias Hodelston, of the county of Gloucester. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7).

22 Feb. Mandate to the Earl Ryviers and Lord Gray Ruthyn, John Vavesour, serjeant-at-law, and William Hertwel, to reinstate Thomas Sudbury, prior of St. Andrew's, in the town of Northampton, in possession of his priory, he having been for some time unjustly dispossessed thereof by one William Brekenoke, who entered into the same, and has prosecuted him and his monks for felony and riot. They are also to assist the said Thomas, and, if they can catch the said William, are to deliver him up to the said Thomas as his monk. S. B. No. 161.

22 Feb. Protection to Richard, bishop of St. Asaph; pardon also for treason, and suit of the king's peace touching other offences. S. B. No. 162. Pat. p. 2. m. 12. (14).

22 Feb. The king, by the advice of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, leases, for seven years, to Thomas Shyrclyffe, the capital messuage of Ouston, parcel of the honor of Pountfret, with the garden adjoining, and 136 acres of demesne land, 48 acres of meadow, together with the several pasture there called Holmehurst, one plot of meadow called Godewyneshurne, with the agistment of the park there. L. R. 86.

22 Feb. Reverend fader in God, right trusty and welbeloved, we grete you wele. Lating you wite it hath be shewed unto us, on the behalve of Margaret Langford, wif of Thomas Langford, howe that the same, hir husbond, by

1 Hen. VII. diverse outragious vexacions nowe and oft tymes hertofore hathe be put from his remembrance and mynde, soo that he hathe noo discrecciouu to governe himself, his said wife, and his children, landes, ne goodes, to the great hurt of his owne body, unto his said wif moost hevynesse, and great inconvenientes of alle thinges that unto him apperteigne. Wherfore we, in consideracioun of the premisses, and for the helpe and relief of the said Margaret and her said children in this behalve, wol and charge you that undre oure prive seel being in youre keping ye doo make oure lettres directed unto Sir John Chenye, knight for oure body, Sir James Blount, Sir Reynold Bray, knightes, and to Edward Chenye, esquiere, whiche be nighe of kyn and frendes unto the said Thomas, commaunding theim by the same, that nowe, and as often as it shal happen the said Thomas Langford to be put from his clere remembrance and mynde as is aforsaid, that they than take the rule and guyding of his personne, his said wif, children, landes, and goodes, be it in hande or out of hande, by theire discrecioun to be modified, a parte to thexhibicion and fynding of himself, an othre part to the sustentacioun of his said wif and children, and the residue towardes the contentacioun of his dettes and othre ordinary charges, yeving unto us, or to suche as we shal thereunto depute and assigne, oones in the yere a due accompt of the revenues of the said landes. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre sufficient warrant in this behalve. Yeven undre oure signet, at oure paloys of Westminstre, the xxii. day of February, the furst yere of our reigne. 1486.

(Indorsed.) To the reverend fadre in God our right trusty and welbeloved the bisshope of Excestre, kepar of oure prive seel. S. B. No. 163.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to John Billesby, esq., kinsman and next heir to Agnes Billesby, viz. son of Richard, son of the said Agnes, late an usher of the Exchequer, deceased, 23 Feb.

1486. to whom the same office descended at her death by right of inheritance, divers sums of money in payment of fees belonging to his office. S. B. No. 164. 1 Hen. VII.

23 Feb. Writ addressed to John, Viscount de Welles, and the sheriff of Lincoln, directing the arrest of Edward Bernaby, John Lorymer, William Portyngton, Thomas Cleesby, and John Grome, and their production before the council, to answer such matters as may be objected against them. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 d (2 d).

23 Feb. The king leases to John Wilde, for seven years, the herbage and pannage of his park of Haye Castle, and one close called Mare Close, and a certain pool within the same park, and the profits of the stones called plaistrestones and alblastere within the said park, rendering annually for the herbage and pannage of the park, and for the said close called Mare Close, and the said pool 100*s.*, and for the stones called plaistrestones and alblastre 40*s.*, and an improved rent of 12*d.* L. R. 111.

23 Feb. The king, by the advice of his council of his duchy of Lancaster, leases to Brian Sandford, for seven years, the fishery of Waynflete, in co. Lincoln, with the market-place and windmill, together with the courts of the market and port, with the fishery within the port, rendering therefore annually 21*l.*, and 20*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 140.

23 Feb. The king, by the advice of his council of his duchy of Lancaster, leases, for seven years, to Richard Spert, the fishery of the water of Smalney, parcel of the honor of Bolyngbroke, in co. Lincoln, rendering therefore annually 13*s.*, and 12*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 140[b].

24 Feb. Grant to John Selby of the office of bailiff of the lordship or manor of Enfeld, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Middx., to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees and emoluments. L. R. 178.

24 Feb. Lease, for seven years, to Robert Honford, of the fishery of the port of the river Trent and the weir near the ferry, together with the several fishery of the pool

1 Hen. VII. there; also the passage of the river Trent called Wyllenfery, with the meadow called Ferymanmedew, rendering for the fishery of the port of Trent 50*s.*, and for the passage there 61*s.*; the king finding, out of the woods in the same lordship there, timber, &c. for the repair of the fishery of the port and the weir aforesaid. L. R. 110. 1486.

Licence (reciting letters patent dated 21 Sept. last, by which John Hays was appointed to seize into the hands of the Crown various possessions belonging to John, late duke of Norfolk, and to be general receiver of the same during pleasure, &c.) to Walter Hungerford, knt. (in consideration of great jeopardies, losses, costs, and charges sustained in the king's service), to enter into the manors of Wycobham, co. Devon, Brotford, Rushall, Chipenham, Shildon, Biddeston, Braynulshawe, Upton, Skydmore, Upton Parks, Warmyster, Teffount, and Wynterbornstoke, co. Wilts., the lordship of Hungerford, co. Berks., the castle, lordship, and manors of Farle, Wellelowe, and Rowle, cos. Somerset and Wilts., the manors of Dawneth, Rylletonertes, Rosoderover, Hilleton, Hermena, Newlande, Hamatethy Park, Trowygo, Penhall, Nansirgh, Trelighon, Magna Hundr', and Scrobhundr', co. Cornwall, which belonged to John, duke of Norfolk, and ought to belong to the said Walter, as son and heir male to Robert Hungerford, knt., late lord Hungerford, if an act of attainder had not been made against the said Robert in the reign of Edw. IV.; to take the issues until such time as the said Walter may have a more lawful estate thereof from the Crown. John Hays, notwithstanding the letters patent above recited, is to deliver up possession of the above-mentioned property. S. B. No. 165. 24 Feb.

Grant, in survivorship, to Sir John Conyers and William Conyers, his kinsman and heir, of the offices of bailiff of the franchise and liberty of Richemond, co. York, steward, constable, and master forester of the 24 Feb.

1486. same, and constable of the castle of Middelham, co. York, with wages, &c. of 200 marks a year out of the issues, &c. of the lordships of Skaleparke, Rande, Swaledale, Bowes, Arkilgarthdale, Thornton, and Erle Orchard. 23 Feb. P. S. No. 699. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11). 1 Hen. VII.

24 Feb. Grant to Richard Croft, knt., of the custody of the manors of Wodestoke, Hanburgh, Wotton, and Stonefeld, with all members and hamlets, &c., co. Oxon.; also of the custody of the hundred of Wotton, co. Oxford, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 127*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.*, and an improved rent of 3*s.* 6*d.*: allowance at the Exchequer to be made to him if any annuities, assignments, fees, or wages shall have been granted out of the same by the king or his progenitors. Orig. m. 18.

24 Feb. Grant, for life, to Louis Caerlion, M.D., of 40*l.* sterling a year out of the issues, &c. of the county of Wilts. 22 Feb. P. S. No. 700. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2).

24 Feb. Indenture between the king and his tenants of Enfeld, relative to the complaints of the farmer of the tolls of Warrebridge, that the said tenants "fraudently by "disceit use othre men's goodes and merchaundises, unto "the grete hurt of the king and his farmer." Upon which complaint the tenants of Enfeld came before the council of the duchy of Lancaster, and it was agreed that all merchandize passing over the said bridge not belonging to the said tenants without paying toll should be forfeited to the king. L. R. 183[b].

24 Feb. Lease, for seven years, to Sir John Savage, jun., and John Fitzherbert, of the lead mines within the wapentake and socage of Wyrkesworth, in the county of Derby, cum lotte and coppe and all commodities to the same mines pertaining, rendering annually therefor 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* L. R. 110[b].

24 Feb. Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Knyfton, of the herbage of the park of Ranesdale, in Duffeld Fryth, parcel of the duchy, in co. Derby, leaving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the park, rendering

1 Hen. VII. for the same 43*s.* 4*d.* If the said Nicholas die within the said term, this lease to be void and of no effect. L. R. 111. 1486.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier greting. Forasmoche as oure moste dere moder, at our singuler plesure and request, of late hadde the keping and guiding of the ladies, doughters of King Edward the iiijth, and also of the yong lordes, the duc of Buk., therles of Warwik and of Westmerland, to her grete charges. For the which oure right trusty servaunt Maister William Smyth, keper of oure hanaper within oure Chancery, at oure special commaundement, hath paied and delivered unto oure saide moder the somme of cc. li., for the which he hath not hadde of us any warrant or othre matier suffisaunt for his discharge in the premisses. We wol therfore and straitly charge you, that ye, at the receipt of oure saide Eschequier, in the booke called the peell, do levie oon taille of the foresaide somme of cc. li. upon the saide Maister William Smyth of thissues and proffites of oure saide hanaper, and that taille soo levied ye delivre unto him for his indempnite in the premisses, and that ye for youre discharge make issue of the saide somme for the causes and consideracions aforesaide. And thies oure lettres shalbe unto you in this behalve warraunt suffisaunt and discharge. Yeven undre oure prive seele, at oure paloys of Westminstre, the xxiiijth daie of February, the furst yere of oure reigne. S. B. No. 166. 24 Feb.

Grant, for life, to William Harope, alias William Rande, of the office of keeper of the warren and woods of Gaynford within the lordship of Barnard Castell, in the bishopric of Duresme. 18 Feb. P. S. No. 701. Pat. p. 2. m. 12 (14). 24 Feb.

Grant to Thomas Bourghchier, the younger, knt., of the custody as well of the manor and lordship of Ledes, with appurtenances, and of the agistment of the park 25 Feb.

1486. there, as of the vacant soil lying in le Nethertowen, 1 Hen. VII.
in the town of Ledes, co. Kent, upon which vacant soil there lately stood two cottages and a fulling-mill, which are now entirely knocked down, and of a cottage there called le Hoggesty, with a certain parcel of land; also of four pieces of demesne land there, whereof two are called "le tweyne litell Westcourfeldes," and the other two are called "le Gretecourtfeldes," with their appurtenances, parcel of the said manor of Ledes; also of a water-mill near the gate of the castle of Ledes; also of the lordship of Langley, near Maideston, co. Kent, with all the rent pertaining thereto, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 27*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*, and an improved rent of 8*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Allowance to be made to the said Thomas at the Exchequer of any wages, fees, and rewards granted out of the said lands, &c. Orig. m. 19.

25 Feb. Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Leventhorp, of the capital messuage of Allerton, parcel of the honor of Pontefract, with 133 acres of arable land, 7 acres of meadow and pasture "del Carre," with all profits thereunto belonging, at the annual rent of 10*l.*, and the improved rent of 12*d.* L. R. 86.

25 Feb. Lease, to Nicholas Leventhorp, for seven years, of the lordship of Campsale, parcel of the duchy, in co. York, rendering therefore annually 12*l.* 16*s.*, with 20*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 86.

25 Feb. Grant to the mayor and citizens of the city of Hereford (in consideration of the true service and faithful allegiance in times past of John Chippenham of the city of Hereford, esquire for the king's body, to the most Christian prince of noble memory King Henry VI., the king's most dear uncle, and to the king himself,) of divers privileges, viz., that the mayor for the time being shall be, during the king's pleasure, coroner within the said city, its liberties and precincts; that the said mayor and citizens may, during the king's pleasure, levy divers customs (all set out) upon various articles of consump-

1 Hen. VII. tion, clothing, &c. brought for sale to the said city, or within the liberty thereof, for repair of the walls and inclosure of the said city; the mayor, and dean of the cathedral church of St. Thomas of Hereford, appointed surveyors thereof, and to render a yearly account to twelve of the most discreet citizens touching the same. ... Feb. P. S. No. 702. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23). 1486.

Grant, in survivorship, to John Ratclyff, knt., Lord Fitzwalter, steward of the king's household, and Reginald Bray, knt., of the offices of warden and chief justice of all the royal forests, and of justice in eyre of all forests south of Trent; also of chief keeper and master of the game in all the said forests. Pat. p. 4. m. 5 (20). 25 Feb.

Licence (in consideration of the humble prayer of Edmund, the abbot, and the convent of Croyland) to the abbot and convent of Peterborough and their successors, to appropriate and unite with their house the church of Brynghurst, alias Eston, co. Leic., Lincoln dioc., with all its rights, &c. for ever, without rendering anything therefore. The vicar or vicarage of the said church to be sufficiently endowed; distribution to be made through the diocesan of a certain sum of money amongst the poor parishioners annually. 23 Feb. Del. 28 Feb. P. S. No. 703. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8). 25 Feb.

Grant to Richard Nanfan, John Tresawell, and Thomas Hilles, of the custody of the lordships and manors of Tuderley and Lokerley, co. Southampton, for 12 years, at a yearly rent of 21*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* All repairs, &c. to be kept up. If any annuities have been or shall be granted by the Crown to any persons whatsoever out of the said manors, allowance is to be made for the same in the farm rendered by the said grantees. 21 Feb. P. S. No. 704. Pat. p. 2. m. 8 (18) and 7 (19). 25 Feb.

Grant, for 20 years, to William Tymperley, esq., of the custody of a messuage and lands in Bedyngham, and 20*d.* rent in Okolte and Bedyngham, co. Suffolk; of a piece of land and a close called the Tee, in the town of 25 Feb.

1486. Gyke, co. Suffolk; of an orchard called Collardyerd, and five acres of land in the croft lying in Great Wechyngham, co. Norfolk; of a messuage, lands, and liberty of one sheepfold in the towns of Brigeham and Rudham, co. Norfolk; of land in Swyne croft near the chapel of St. Edmund, king and martyr, in Cambridge; of lands in Carleton, Rood, and Bonwell, abutting upon lands of John Godfrey and upon land of the manor of Piers Hall; and of other lands in the towns of Carleton, Rood, and Bonwell, abutting upon land of the rector there, and upon land belonging to the church there, and upon Westmedowe, and upon lands of John Heydon. Pat. p. 2. m. 7 (19). 1 Hen. VII.

25 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer, &c. of the Exchequer to levy a tally upon the collectors in the port of Southampton of the customs and subsidies coming and growing on the merchandize of Jerome Tieple, merchant of Venice, shipped and to be shipped in the said port, for the expenses of the king's household, and to deliver the same to the said Jerome in payment of 56*l.*, which the king owes him for 12 butts of Malmsey bought of him by William Penyngton and Richard Fuller for the king's use. S. B. No. 167.

26 Feb. Grant, for life, to Edward Skelton, of an annuity of 20 marks out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, granted upon the following petition:— To the kyng oure soveraygne lord. Please hit unto your highnesse, of youre moste noble and habundant grace, to graunt unto youre faithfull and trwe liege man Edward Skyltone, nowe in his decrepet age, for his longe contynued service, as well with the most vertuose Kyng Henri the Sext, your noble uncle, as with that noble prince Edward the Fourth, late kyng of Englond, to graunte unto him youre gracious lettres patentz of an annuite for his sustentacioun, after the tenner insuyng, to be made in dwe forme, and he shall ever pray to God for the conservacioun of your moste noble and highe astate. Pat. p. 3 m. 2 (26).

1 Hen. VII. Licence to Thomas Eynesham to export from Pole, Plymoth, and Fowey, whithersoever it may please him, 2,000 pieces of Cornish tin. S. B. No. 168. 1486. 26 Feb.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Draper, of the office of yeoman carter of the king's household. 5 Oct. P. S. No. 705. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2). 26 Feb.

Commission to P., bishop of Exeter, Edward, earl of Devon, Henry Bodrugan, Robert Willughby, John Haleghwell, John Trefrye, John Carmenewe, Thomas Lymbury, Thomas Tresawell, Peter Tregose, and Richard Wynyon, directing inquisition to be made into the following circumstances:—Certain Hanse merchants in Almayn have complained that while Paul Johnson, master of a ship called the Grasinius, and Clays Wan Horn, master of a ship called the Marie of Hamburgh, laden with salt, &c., were sailing near the coast of Fowey and Elford, co. Cornwall, to London, John Gaye and William Bruer, of Fowey, and others, seized and conducted the said ships into the port of Fowey, and plundered them, contrary to the amity now existing: upon discovery of the persons who seized and plundered the said ships, their ships, equipments, and cargoes are to be arrested, no matter in whose hands the same shall be, and the offenders are to be committed to prison until compensation be made. The proceedings are to be certified to the council. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 d (7 d). 26 Feb.

John Agard appointed receiver of the honor of Tutbury and the manors of High Peek, Newcastel, Donyngton, and Melbourn, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in cos. Stafford, Derby, and Leicester; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. W., etc. 26 Feb.

Mandate to the treasurer of the Exchequer to pay 8*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.* to Thomas Baker and Stephen Rotherford, or else to make them a sufficient assignment for the same. The recital is in the following words:—"Where "we late, by oure lettres missives bering date the 26 Feb.

1486. " vj. daie of Septembre, the furst yere of oure reigne, 1 Hen. VII.
" charged Thomas Baker and Stephyn Rotherford, late
" custumers of oure poort of Pole, to purvey and ordeigne,
" at oure costes, to oure trusty and welbeloved servaunt
" Edmond Weston and Thomas de Saint Martyn, esquiers,
" suche shipping as the saide Thomas and Stephyn
" shuld think suer and moost expedient for to passe, in
" all haste possible, into oure isle of Garnesey for suche
" thinges as we gave them in charge. And for as
" moche as the saide late custumers have yelden unto
" us accompte of alle suche money as was growen unto
" us by reason of their office, and cowde have noon
" allouance of suche money as they paied for the costes
" of the saide shipping, for that oure saide lettres missive
" were not sufficient warrant unto them for theire saide
" allouance in theire saide accomptes in oure Exchequer."
S. B. No. 169.

26 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer of the Exchequer to deliver a tally to Master William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper in the Chancery, of the issues, &c. of the said hanaper, in payment of 100*l.*, which he paid by the special command of the king to Thomas Lovell, treasurer of the king's chamber. S. B. No. 170.

26 Feb. Grant to Richard Pole of the offices of constable of the castle of Hardlegh and sheriff of the county of Merioneth, with wages payable at the receipt of the king's Exchequer at Caernervan. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5).

27 Feb. Appointment, for 20 years, as commissioners of the king's mines of tin, lead, copper, gold, and silver in England and Wales (the mines in Cornwall and Devon excepted), of Jaspar, duke of Bedford, Thomas, archbishop of York, John, bishop of Worcester, chancellor of England, Peter, bp. of Exeter, John, bp. of Ely, John, earl of Oxford, great chamberlain of England, Thomas, earl of Derby, Henry, earl of Northumberland, Edward, earl of Devon, Lord George Straunge, Lord Henry Grey of Cotoner, Lord William Stanley, the king's chamber-

1 Hen. VII. lain, Lord John Powes, Rees ap Thomas, knt. (Rissup-thomam), Reginald Bray, knt., Richard Fox, the king's secretary, Thomas Lovell, Hugh Conwey, and Richard Eyre; also appointment of William Goderswyke and Henry Vanorle, merchant, of Colayn, to be commissioners for the ordering of the said mines with regard to the profits thereof belonging to the Crown; also appointment of William Tyler, knt., to be a commissioner and comptroller of the said mines and governors. Various privileges are accorded to the above-mentioned commissioners, the owners of mines and soil above mines, and the workmen employed in the divers operations connected with the works of the same mines. 21 Feb. P. S. No. 706. Pat. p. 2. m. 1 (25). 1486.

Grant to Thomas Fenys and Thomas Oxenbrigge of the custody of the manors of Herstmounseux and Strete, co. Sussex, the manor of Wolflesfenys, co. Berks, the advowsons of the churches to the same manors belonging, and all the lands, &c. in the parishes of Herstmounceux, Warbylton, Wartlyng, Mankesy, Pevynsey, Westham, Haylesham, Dalyngton, and Horsey, co. Sussex, which came into the hands of the Crown after the death of Richard Fenys, late Lord Dacre, (who held in capite of Richard the Third, late king of England, in deed and not of right, on the day of his death,) by reason of the minority of Thomas Fenys, Lord Dacre, kinsman and heir of the said Richard, late Lord Dacre, viz. son and heir of John Fenys, knt., deceased, son and heir of the said Richard, late Lord Dacre; to hold the same during such minority; custody to be continued, if the heir dies before attaining majority, until an heir comes of age; grant of the issues, &c. of the premises. S. B. No. 171. 27 Feb.

Right reverend fadre in God, right trusty and wel-beloved, we grete you wele, and wol and charge you that, undre oure prive seial being in your keping, ye doo make oure lettres in fourme folowing:—Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord 27 Feb.

1486. of Irland. To our trusty and welbeloved William Husy, 1 Hen. VII.
knight, and his felowes, our jugges of the plees before us to be holdyn assigned, greting. For as moche as there be diverse presentmentes and indictamentes be fore us in oure Benche where ye be jugges remaynyng of record ayenste the reverend fadre in God Thomas, bisshop of London, for noon repairing and making of and for certain brigges, dichis, gutters, and stoppynges of divers watercoursys within the lordshippis of Fulham and Stebenhith, and the membris of the same, as it hath be presentid be the same presentmentes, and ye by reason therof write oute fro tyme to tyme and make processe ayenst hym to appere afore us in our said Benche, there to answere to the premisses; and for his noon apperaunce he hath be charged with grevous issues, as hath be severally upon hym retorned by the shereffes of oure countie of Middilsex; and how also that, for his said noon apperaunce at the furst day of processe retorned ayenst hym, ther hath by processe made ayenst hym by attachementes and distresse diverse tymes to his grete hurt, notwithstanding the said brigges, dichis, gutters, and stoppinges of the said watercoursis have be and be conveniently repaired and sufficiently amendid. We, considring the premisses, and that many and the moost part of the said indictamentes were presentid and made in his predecessours days, and that it shulde be to chargefull unto the said reverend fadre to appere in oure said Benche to answere to alle the said presentmentes, wil therfore and also charge you that, as for alle such presentmentes as hath be made by fore the furst day of August last passed, ye surcesse and in no wise make heraftre any processe ayenst hym. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre sufficient warraunt. Yeven undre oure signet, at oure palois of Westminstre, the xxviith day of February, the furst yere of oure regne.

To the right reverend fadre in God oure right trusty and welbeloved the bishop of Excestre, keper of oure prive seal. S. B. No. 172.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during pleasure, to John Hatteclyff ("in consideracioun of the true service that oure feithful subgiet hath doon unto us at oure victorious feld, and during his life entendeth to doo"), of the office of bailiff of the lordship or manor of Busshey, co. Hertford. 18 Feb. P. S. No. 707. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7). 1486. 27 Feb.

Grant to Richard Eggecombe, comptroller of the household, of the custody of the possessions in the county of Devon, late belonging to John Walrond, of Bradfeld, co. Devon, esq., who held of the king in capite, as of the honor of Plympton, on the day of his death, by knight's service, and of the wardship and marriage of Humfrey Walrond, his son and heir; to hold during the minority of the said heir, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. 2 Feb. P. S. No. 708. 27 Feb.

Grant, in tail male, to William Middelton, esquire, for the king's body, of the manor or lordship of Stoke, co. Sussex, late belonging to John, late duke of Norfolk, traitor to the king, and in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of the said duke; to hold in the fullest manner by the rents, services, &c. anciently due and accustomed. S. B. No. 173. 27 Feb.

Grant, for life, to Retherth ap Rys, of the office of constable of the castle of Cardigan, in South Wales, with wages, fees, &c. at the receipt of the exchequer of Cardigan, by the hands of the chamberlain there, paying yearly to Owen Lloid, or his assigns, an annuity of 10*l.* sterling. S. B. No. 174. 27 Feb.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Rawlyn, one of the yeomen of the Crown (in consideration of true and faithful service done to the king's great uncle, King Henry VI.), of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Berstaple, co. Essex. S. B. No. 175. 27 Feb.

Grant to Thomas Wolton, esq., in tail male, of the manor of Yoxsale, co. Staff., and all possessions late belonging to Francis, late Lord of Lovell, in Yoxsale: in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of the 27 Feb.

1486. said Lord of Lovell. 21 Sept. P. S. No. 709. Pat. p. 2. 1 Hen. VII. m. 7 (19).

27 Feb. Grant, for life (in consideracion of the trewe and faithfull service that our trewe subgiet and liegeman John Browne hath doon unto us, as well in the parties beyonde the see as within this oure roy^me^ at oure late victorious felde), of the office of purveyor of the king's manor of Eltham. 28 Jan. P. S. No. 710. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22).

28 Feb. Grant, in survivorship, to David Phelip and Matthew Baker, esquires for the king's body (in consideration of services in the parts beyond the sea and in this kingdom), of the offices of keeper, governor, and captain of the isle of Jersey and of the castle of Gurrey, alias Mount Orgell, there, with such fees as John Nanfan, esq., deceased, late governor thereof enjoyed, and with all advowsons of ecclesiastical benefices belonging to the Crown there; authority given also to receive the fealty and allegiance of the king's men and tenants, to grant safeguards, and to appoint officers, &c. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7).

28 Feb. Special protection and safeguard, for one year, to the king's most dear cousin, Anna, countess of Pembroke, who, at the command of the king, and not in consequence of any other reason, came some time since out of Wales to London, and to whom the king promised safety during her coming, stay, and return. 26 Feb. Pat. p. 2. m. 1 (25).

28 Feb. Grant, for life, to Richard Crompe, esq., one of the marshals of the king's hall, of the office of keeper of the park of Fulbroke, co. Warwick. 24 Feb.

28 Feb. Grant, for life, to Thomas Maydeford, of the Chancery, of a toft in the parish of St. Bennet Shorhogge, in the city of London, lying between tenements late belonging to Robert Sewale, grocer, and tenements belonging to the dean and chapter of St. Paul's Cathedral, and extending in the public street to the church of St. Bennet and to a place of land pertaining to that church; also of

1 Hen. VII. a garden in Marce Lane, in the parish of All Hallows, Berking, in the city of London, lying between the rectory and churchyard of All Hallows, Stanyng, and tenements of the convent of St. Mary Graces, near the Tower of London, and tenements late belonging to William Jenkynson, and extending from the public street of Marce Lane to a tenement late belonging to William Heryot; which toft and garden (at that time built upon, but since then become vacant) John Rypon had of the gift of Hen. VI.; and Edw. IV. afterwards, by patent, granted the same to the said William Evyngton and William Heryot. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8). 1486.

Grant to Humfrey Talbot, knt., of a house in the town of Calais, in which John Scott, knt., lately dwelt; to hold during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick; the same to be kept in repair. S. B. No. 176. 28 Feb.

Indenture between the king and Sir James Blount as to his appointment as lieutenant of the castle of Hampnes, in the parts of Picardy. This precedes the grant of the office, which will be found under date 2 March (Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24). P. S. No. 711. 28 Feb.

Henry Rokley and William Nettilton, late occupiers of the mill at Ledes, are commanded to pay to N. Leventhorp, receiver of the honor of Pountfret, the sum of 10*l.*, due for the farm of the said mill for the half year ended at Michaelmas last past, after the rate of 20*l.* per annum. 28 Feb.

Similar orders to [ ], late grave of the lordship of Almondbury, for 9*l.* 14*s.* 6¼*d.*, for the year ended at Michaelmas last past; to Richard Gammoll, late farmer of the wapentake of Osgood Crosse, for 17*l.*, for a whole year last past; to Sir James Danby, late farmer of the bailiship of Morley, for 60*s.*, for two years ended at Michaelmas last past; to Richard Braythwait, late baily and farmer of Northpountfret, Skyrak, and Berston, for the sum of 5*l.* 14*s.* 9*d.*, for one whole year last past; to Thomas Gellyem, late grave of the lordship of Bradford,

1486. to levy all such money as is due for the year last past, and to content the receiver there; to Richard Knaresburgh, late farmer of the mills of Knaresburgh, for 7*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.*, for the last year; to John Brown, late farmer of the herbage of the parks of Bilton and Haye, for 4*l.* 7*s.* 7*d.*, for part of the last year; to Sir Randolf Pygot, late farmer of the herbage of the park of Haywray, for 6*s.* 10*d.*, for part of the last year. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

28 Feb. Grant, for life, to William Stanley, of a yearly rent of 20*l.* out of the manor or lordship of Holland, in the county palatine of Lancaster, with power to distrain for the same should it fall in arrear—in consideration that the rent was formerly granted to him by John Lovell, knt., late Lord Lovell, and came into the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, son and heir of the said John, late Lord Lovell, who was attainted of high treason. 25 Feb. P. S. No. 712.

28 Feb. Grant, in frankalmoign, to Henry, prior, and the convent of St. Mary of Lanthony, near Gloucester, of the privilege of cutting in Deene Forest, daily, as many trees as six horses can draw, for fuel for their convent, and to carry the same to their manor of Alvyngton or Ailberton, or elsewhere; grant also, in frankalmoign, of the office of bailiff or keeper of a wood in the same forest, called the Bailifwike of Blakeney, in the woodwardship of the bailifwike of Blakeney. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22).

28 Feb. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to issue a tally for 51*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.* for the discharge of the following demand, viz.:—Sir John Gylford, on the 27th August last, received of John Grafford and Roger Appulton, late custumers in the port of Sandewiche, in ready money 27*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.*, and in bills of custom 23*l.* 14*s.* 10*d.*, of customs and subsidies grown in the said port in the time of Richard, late, in deed and not of right, king of England, which sums came to the king's hands. The same is to be charged as money delivered

1 Hen. VII. into the king's hands by Sir John Gilford, knight. S. B. No. 177. 1486.

Protection, for one year, to Philip Curteys, citizen and brewer, of London, who is going upon the king's service in the company of William Rosse, esq., victualler of the town and castle of Calais and the marches thereof, touching the safe custody and victualling of the town, castle, and marches aforesaid. Fr. m. (5) 11. 28 Feb.

Grant to William Huggeford, esq., of a yearly rent of 5*l.* sterling out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Burford, co. Oxon., from the 22nd August last, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the said manor shall continue in the hands of the Crown. 25 Feb. P. S. No. 713. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5). 28 Feb.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Farington ("in consideracioun of the true and feitheful service that oure welbeloved subgiet hath doon unto us in oure late victorious journey and feld, to his gret hurtes and costes, and for that hereaftre he entendeth to doo"), of the office of bailiff of the town of Shirborn, in Ryedale, co. York. P. S. No. 714. 28 Feb.

Pardon and release to Ralph Willoughby of Rammyngham, co. Norfolk, esq., alias late of Newe Bukkenhome, co. Norf., alias late of Bukkenhome Castell, co. Norf., alias late sheriff of the cos. of Norf. and Suff., alias late of Lanam, co. Suff., &c., for all offences committed previously to the date hereof, and from all the penalties attaching thereto. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 715. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7). 28 Feb.

Appointment of J., bishop of Durham, John Dunmowe, and Hugh Spaldyng to be the king's proctors at the court of Rome, to prosecute all promotions to cathedrals which shall become vacant, and to endeavour to obtain that the recommendations of the Crown shall in all cases meet with success. S. B. No. 178. 28 Feb.

Grant to John Wybarne of Southflete, co. Kent, the younger, gentleman, of the custody of the manor of 28 Feb.

1486. Ivelde, Wellis, and Cosyngton, co. Kent, which Edw. IV. late king of England, purchased, from Michaelmas last, for 20 years, at a yearly rent of 10 marks. Orig. m. 19. 1 Hen. VII.

28 Feb. Henry, &c. To the tresourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where that oure trusty servant Pyers Curteys, gentilman huissher of our chambre, hath for certain stuff bought to oure use, aswele ayenst the feste of Cristmas last passed as ayenst the solemnizacion of oure mariage, leyed out, by our special commandement, the somme of fowre score fyftene poundes three shilinges six penyes halfpenye, as by the parcelles of the same, whiche we have seene and examined, it may more evidently appiere. We, willing hym to have contentacion and payement thereof, as reson requireth, straitly charge and commaunde you that, furthwith upon the receipt herof, ye delivere unto the said Pyers, in redy money, the said iiij^{xx}.xv. li. iij. s. vj. d. ob., without any preste or othre charge in any manere wise to be sette upon hym in that behalf. And thies oure lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge anempst us for the same. Yeven undre our prive seal, at oure paloys of Westminstre, the last day of February, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 716.

28 Feb. Henry, &c. To oure trusty and right welbeloved counsellour Reynold Bray, knyght, chancellour of oure duchie of Lancastre, greting. Forasmoche as we understande, by credible reaport, that we and oure progenitours have had grete losse in the possessions of oure said duchie by negligent feodayries, receivours, and bailyfes of the same, and so like to contynue without remedy theryn the sonner be provided. We, willing reformacione thereof, trustyng unto youre trouth, sadnes, and discrecioun, woll therfore that ye, by thadvyse of our counsel of oure said duchie, discharge alle and every such officer as shall not diligently and profitably for us exercise and occupie their office, and therupon from tyme to tyme do purvey and make suche and asmany officers concernyng the

1 Hen. VII. said offices in, of, and for the possessions, governaunces of the said possessions, as ye shalle thynk necessary and behovefull to the same for oure moost profit and availe. And hereupon do make oure lettres patentes, under oure seale of oure said duchie being in youre warde, for the same offices to suche persounes as ye, by thadvyse of oure said counselle, shall chose and name for us; to have and occupye duryng oure pleasure, with wages and fees to the same offices and every of theme severally due and accustummed. And theis oure lettres shall be youre sufficient warrant and discharge anenst us at alle tymes in that behalf. Yeven, &c. L. R. 1. 1486.

Feb. or March. Henry, &c. To our welbeloved John Agard, receivour of our honnour of Tutbury, gretyng. We wol and straitly charge you that, upon any annuities graunted to any personne or personnes by our great enemye Richard, late duch of Gloucester, calling hymself King, to be paied by your handes of your seid receipt, ye no wise content ne paye any suche annuytes so graunted of Ester and Mighelmas termes last past, but þ^t ye reteyn the same in your hand unto such tyme as ye shal knowe our ferther pleasir in that behalf. And where that certeyne tymbre framed and onframed and ordeyned for divers byldynges in thoes parties lieth in the [heye of] Yoxale and at Melbourn Castel, aswel in wodes as in othre places, and is like to be lost without it be seen to the sonner, and in ij. kylnes of brikes not kevered, like to take harme without they be covered, and also a new gardeynn at Tutbury, which hath cost moch money, is unwalled, the length of viij. roddes, and the gardeynn like to be lost unles than that wal be made; wherfor we wol and charge you that ye endevour you to see the seid tymbre and brikes covered for the savyng of the same, and that the seid walle of the seid gardenn to be made. And thes our lettres shalbe your sufficient warant for your due allowance at the accountes bifore our auditours to be yelden uppon the charges concernyng the

1486. premissez. Moreover there be certeyn woodes without 1 Hen. VII.
our chace of [ ] not solde, and here at our castell of Tutbury, of which heye and woode we wol that ye take uppoun you to make sale to our moost profitt and avail. Yeven, &c. L. W., &c.

Feb. or March. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved the master of our game within the parc of Kyrkeby, parcel of the duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of Lincoln, and to the kepers of our seid parc, and to every of theyme, gretyng. And wheras xvi. okes were of late felled and hewyn within our seid parc, for new gotes and clowes to be made within our lordshippe of Waynflete; we therefore wol and charge you that unto the chief constables of the soke of our honnor of Bolyngbrok ye delyver or [cause] to be delyvered the seid xvi. okes, to be emploied about the new makyng and byldyng of the seid gotes and clowes within our seid lordshippe of Wayneflete; eny restreynt or commaundement yeven or made in any wise to the contrary notwithstanding. And these our lettres shalbe your sufficient warant and discharge anenst us at altymes inthat behalf. Yeven, &c. L. W.

1 March. Confirmation, to the provost and burgesses of the borough of Yarmouth, of letters patent dated at Westminster, 25 Nov., 22 Edw. IV. (Pat. p. 2. m. 10), granting to them, for 20 years, 50 marks out of the fee-farm they pay for their town, towards the support and relief of the men thereof. The grant is made upon the following recital :—"Sciatis quod, ex parte dilectorum ligeorum "nostrorum hominum villæ nostræ Magnæ Jernemuthe "existat humiliter monstratum qualiter villa prædicta, "ab antiquo, dum inhabitantes ejusdem, per singularia "proficua et emolumenta de mari et piscatione tunc "sibi provenientia, et per factum mercantiæ in bonis "multipliciter prosperabantur, de annua summa sexa-"ginta librarum de feodi firma ejusdem villæ nostræ, "necnon de firma cujusdam loci in alto mari, prope

1 Hen. VII. " introitum portus villæ prædictæ, vocati Kirkelerode 1486.
" onerata existit; quam sic oneratam, homines prædicti
" et antecessores sui, a nobis et nobilibus progenitori-
" bus nostris hucusque tenuerunt, et de nobis tenent in
" præsenti; qualiter etiam villa prædicta eo quod hujus-
" modi proficua et emolumenta, quæ hominibus ejusdem
" villæ de piscatione provenire solebant, tam per omnes
" et singulos ligeos nostros, quam extraneos, inventa
" sunt capta et retenta ac factum mercantiæ ob defec-
" tum salvi portus ibidem subtractum existit, sic vastata
" est et desolata, quod homines prædicti villam illam
" nisi aliquid de gratia nostra eis impartiri velimus in
" hac parte necessitate, deserere et eam desolatam relin-
" quere oportebit. Nos præmissa considerantes qualiter
" etiam quod villa prædicta in frontura maris maxime
" pro defensione fronturarum partium adjacentium sita
" existit, ut homines ejusdem villæ portum prædictum
" salvum et securum pro applicatione navium et aliorum
" vasorum ibidem mercatorie, et aliter confluentium
" facere emendare et reparare valeant de gratia nostra
" speciali concessimus, etc." Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8).

Grant to Roger Holond of the custody of all pos- 1 March.
sessions in the county of Devon belonging to John Harrys of Raddeford, co. Devon, who held of the king as of the honor of Plympton on the day of his death by knight's service, and of the wardship and marriage of Francis, his son and heir; to hold during the minority of the said heir, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. 22 Feb. P. S. No. 717. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7).

Grant to Sir Charles Somerset, captain of the king's 1 March.
guard, of the office of keeper of the park of Posterna, in co. Derby, with the accustomed fees. L. R. 98b.

Grant to Richard Pudsey of the bailiwick of Tykhull 1 March.
fee, in Strafford, and the wapentakes of Agbrugge and Moley, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed wages and fees thereunto pertaining. L. R. 64.

1486. 1 March. Grant to John de Gloucester, bastard, of an annual rent of 20*l.* during the king's pleasure, issuing out of the revenues of the lordship or manor of Kyngestonlacy, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Dors. L. R. 193. 1 Hen. VII.

1 March. Lease, for seven years, to Hugh Gartside and Nicholas Gartside, his son, of the vaccary of Anteley, Overughley, and Netherwrighley, in co. Lancaster; the herbage and pasture of Higham bothe; the herbage and pasture of Higham close; the herbage and pasture of Westclose; the vaccary of Barley both; the vaccary of Lusclough, parcel of the said duchy: Rendering therefore annually for the vaccary of Anteley, 6*l.*; for the vaccary of Overrughley and Netherrughley, 8*l.*; for the herbage and pasture of Higham bothe, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; for the herbage and pasture of Westclose, 5*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; for the vaccary of Barley both, 5*l.*; and for the vaccary of Lusclough, 60*s.* L. R. 54[b]

1 March. Lease, for seven years, to John Hemmyngwey, of the wapentake of Stayncrosse, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, of the honor of Pountfret, rendering annually for the same 100*s.* L. R. 86.

1 March. Grant to Sir Walter Hungreford, for the term of his life, of the office of keeper of the great park of Everley, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Wilts, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 187[b].

1 March. Robert Swan, the king's scholar, is presented to the free chapel of Maresfeld, in co. Sussex. L. R. 182.

1 March. Grant, for life, to Henry Aynesworth, LL.D., of the office of secondary in the office of the Privy Seal, with a salary of 40*l.* a year from Michaelmas last, a livery from the great wardrobe, and other emoluments such as Master John Coke had whilst holding the same office. 23 Feb. P. S. No. 718. Pat. p. 3. m. 27 (1).

1 March. Mandate to Edward, earl of Devonshire, Sir Henry Bodrugan, and Richard Forde, reciting that the king has been informed, by petition of Raoul le Fancheour and John le Bourt, of the town of Gyngamp, in Bretaigne, that Edward Philip and Nicholas Barboure, of the town of Fowey, and other the king's subjects in

1 Hen. VII. their company, were on the 12th . . . . . last in a ship called the Anne of Fowey, and encountered on the sea a ship of Brehat in Bretaigne, called . . . . Brehat, of 80 tons burden, Yvon le Chevis being master, and John Herne, of Brehat, owner thereof, the same ship sailing towards the land of Ireland, laden with wheat, wine, salt, mercery, and other goods and merchandize, and also with gold and silver coined to the value in the whole of 2,500 crowns and more, and brought the same into the said port of Fowey, and there distributed the said goods and merchandize at their pleasure, and detain the said ship with her apparel, and also the said master and one of his mariners as prisoners. The king has directed letters under the signet to the said Edward and Nicholas, directing restitution, but to his great displeasure they have disobeyed the same. The king therefore gives authority and power to the persons addressed to seize the said Breton ship and all the tackle thereof, in whose hands soever it be found, and to restore it to the said master; to set the master and mariner at large; to see that the said Edward and Nicholas pay the said Raoul and John le Bourt for all the goods, &c. above mentioned, and if they refuse so to do then to seize their bodies and their goods, by land and by water, and commit them to the nearest gaol, there to remain until they have found surety to appear before the king and his council, within 15 days next after their attachment. This mandate is ordered to be executed "alle parcialite, drede, or favoure of any parsone " or parsones uttrely leide aparte, as those addressed " will avoid the king's severest displeasure, and will " answer at their peril, and upon pain of forfeiture of " 200*l.* each." S. B. No. 179. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Edward Courteney, earl of Devon, of the offices of constable of the castle of Rostormell, co. Cornwall, and of keeper of the park there, with the same fees, wages, &c. out of the issues of the duchy of 1 March.

1486. Cornwall as were allotted, 38 Edw. III., to John Kendale (then receiver of the duchy of Cornwall) as constable and keeper of the castle and park aforesaid. 6 Oct. P. S. No. 719. S. B. No. 180. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8). 1 Hen. VII.

1 March. Inspeximus and confirmation, to the provost and burgesses of the borough of Yarmouth, of letters patent dated at Westminster, 5 March, 17 Edw. IV. (Pat. p. 1. m. 18), granting to them, for 10 years, 12*l.* 10*s.* 10*d.* yearly out of the fee-farm of their town, and 100*s.* of fee-farm yearly for a place on the high seas, near the entrance of the said town, called Kyrkele Rode, to be applied in making, amending, and repairing of the port of their town during the said term, under the survey of the abbot of the monastery of St. Benet of Hulme, and the prior of the town of Great Yarmouth; the said monies to be allowed at the Exchequer upon certificates by the said abbot and prior that they have been so applied. The recital sets out that this grant is made in consideration of the great and unbearable charges the said burgesses have been put to in fortifying and keeping safely their town, and in repairing the works of the port there, which have been and are so great that they are in a sad state of impoverishment and desolation. S. B. No. 181. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8).

1 March. Safe conduct and protection, for eight months, to James le Danoys, merchant, or his factors, with a ship of 100 tons burden, properly manned and equipped, with licence to import and export wines, goods, and merchandize of all sorts, upon paying the customs and duties thereupon. The protection is granted upon the following representation: — Thomas Eldrington states that whilst in the king's service and army upon the sea he took the said Danoys (a subject of the king's French adversary) prisoner, and is saddled with the expenses of his imprisonment, unless Danoys be enabled, with the king's protection, to reach his friends and obtain their help. S. B. No. 182.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Richard Archebolde (in consideration of true and faithful service as well in the parts beyond the sea as within this realm), of the office of constable of the castle, within the city of Dubline, in the land of Irland, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the coinage within the land aforesaid to be made, coined, and wrought by the hands of the master or receiver of the same for the time being. 19 Feb. P. S. No. 720. 1486. 1 March.

Grant, for life, to John Radclif de Fitzwauter, knt., steward of the king's household, of the office of steward of the lordships or manors of Saham Tony, Parva Cressingham, Ovyngton, Panworth, and Nekton, and of the hundreds of Waylond and Grymeshowe, co. Norf., and of all the lands in Saham Tony, Asshell, Ovyngton, Parva Cressingham, Nekton, Thompston, Gryston, and Merton, co. Norf., which heretofore belonged to Richard, earl of Warwick, son of Henry, duke of Warwick, and afterwards to Richard, late duke of Gloucester, called Richard the Third, in deed, but not of right, king of England, and which by the forfeiture of the said pretended king have come into the king's hands. Grant also of 10*l.* for executing the same office. 24 Jan. P. S. No. 721. Pat. p. 3. m. 2 (26). 1 March.

Appointment of Richard Sheldon and John Clerk as auditors of the accompts of all ministers whatsoever of the possessions called Warrewikkes landes, Salisbury landes, and Spensers landes, within the kingdom of England (which Richard, formerly earl of Warwick and Sarum, held during his life, and after his death George, late duke of Clarence, and Isabella his wife, and Richard, late duke of Gloucester, and Anna his wife, held in their purparties by force of an Act of Parliament, temp. Edw. IV.; viz., the said George as of the purparty of his wife Isabella, and the said Richard as of the purparty of his wife Anna,) during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, kinsman and heir of the aforesaid Isabella and Anna, and as long as the said possessions shall continue 2 March.

1486. in the hands of the Crown; grant also of all fees, &c. 1 Hen. VII.
pertaining to such office, and of reasonable expenses whenever they shall be employed in carrying out the duties pertaining thereto. 25 Feb. P. S. No. 722. Pat. p. 2. m. 7 (19).

2 March. Grant, in tail male, to David Philip, of the manor or lordship of Clypsham, co. Rutland, in the hands of the Crown by the forfeiture of John Zouche, Lord of Zouche, the king's traitour; also of the manor or lordship of Kirkeby Bellers, co. Leic., in the hands of the Crown by the forfeiture of William Catesby, the king's rebel; by the services therefore anciently due. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 723. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5).

2 March. Lease, for seven years, to Sir John Savage, junior, of the herbage or agistment in Campana in the High Peak, called le Champaigne in le High Peek; the herbage of Crokhille; the pasture called Rowley and Asshhope; the herbage of Westendene; the pasture called Birchendeverboth; the pasture called Alport, in Crokhil; a messuage called [Crokhill] in the parish of Hope, in co. Derby; the vaccary of Gydale, in the said county; the whole of the demesne land called le Castel Flattes, in the field of Casteltoun; all the lands, tenements, meadow, and pasture of Bradlowe, with the herbage, pasture, and wood of Bradlowe; all the demesne lands and meadows of Bradwall in the High Peak; the herbage of Maynstonfeld, otherwise called Chyneley; the herbage of Shelf and Combes; the water-mills of Maynstonfeld, Tunsted, and Hayfeld, in the High Peak; the water-mill of Newmylle, in Ashbourn, with the meadow called Erles Medew, in Ashbourn, with "lotte and cope" arising from the issues of the lead mines within the king's lordship of the High Peak; the fishery of the water of Wey, with all rivulets and waters within the precinct of the forest of the High Peak; passage, stallage, and advowson of toll of the market of la Frith: Rendering yearly for the herbage or agistment in Campana in the High Peak,

1 Hen. VII. called le Champaigne in le High Peek, 40*l.*; for the herbage of Crokhill and the pasture called Rowley and Asshope, and the herbage of Westendene and the pasture called Birchendeverboth, and the pasture called Alport, in Crokhill, 30*l.* 7*s.* 6*d.*; for the messuage called Crokhill, in the parish of Hope, in Crokhill, 25*s.* 10*d.*; for the vaccary of Gydale, 38*l.*; for the demesne land called le Castel Flattes, in the field of Castelton, 4*l.*; for the lands, meadows, and pasture of Bradlowe, with the herbage of Bradlowe, 10*l.*; for all the demesne lands and meadows of Bradwall, in the High Peak, 5*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; for the herbage of Maynstonfeld, otherwise called Chyneley, 10*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; for the herbage of Shelf and Combes, 4*l.* 7*s.* 8*d.*; for the mill of Maynstonfeld, 36*s.* 8*d.*; for the mill of Tynstede, 36*s.* 8*d.*; for the mill of Hayfeld, 36*s.* 8*d.*; for the water-mill of Newmyll, with the meadow called Erles Medew, in Ashbourn, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; for "lotte and cope" arising from the lead mines within the king's lordship of the High Peak, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; for the fishery of the water of Wey, with all rivulets and waters within the precinct of the forest of the High Peak, 5*s.*; for passage, stallage, and advowson of the toll of the market of la Frith, 33*s.* 4*d.* The said John Savage is to keep all the said premises in repair, the king finding sufficient large timber for the said repairs, but the said John to be at the cost of carrying the same. L. R. 111. 1486.

Grant, for life, to James Carre, of the office of keeper of the park of Cradlyng, in co. York, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto belonging. L. R. 65. 2 March.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved Richard Harpour, our receivour-generall of our duchie of Lancaster, gretyng. We wol and charge you that, of thissues of your receipt uppone the sight of thes our lettres, ye content and paye unto our welbeloved servaunt John Flee, huyssher of our Parliament chaumbre, for the occupying and exercisisyng of the same office of huyssher, for the season and tyme of syttyng of our Parliament, 2 March.

1486. after the rate of 12*d.* by the daye; receivyng of hym his lettres recityng the payment thereof, the which and thes our lettres shalbe your sufficient warant upponn your accomptes bifor our auditors to be yolden for your allowance and discharge anenst us in that behalf. Yeven, &c., the second daye of March, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

2 March. Grant, for life, to John Burgh, of the office of keeper of the park of Kyrkeby, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Lincoln, with the accustomed fees and emoluments arising out of the lordship of Bolyngbroke, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 124[b].

2 March. Lease, for seven years, to Hugh Gartside, the herbage and pasture of his park of Ightenhull, with "le Corne-"feld" within the forest of Penhull, in the county of Lancaster, parcel of the duchy, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the aforesaid park, rendering annually for the same, 20*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* L. R. 55[c].

2 March. Grant to John Alfegh of the custody of the manors of Pekham and Camerwell, co. Surrey, and of a tenement situate in the parish of St. George's Southwerke, from Michaelmas last, during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 8*l.*, and all charges pertaining to such custody to be borne by the grantee. Orig. m. 19.

2 March. Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Lye, of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Stoke Dawbeney, co. Northampton, and keeper of the park there. 17 Feb. P. S. No. 724.

2 March. Special protection and safeguard, for seven years, for Thomas Coke, alias Cooke, citizen and goldsmith of London. S. B. No. 183. Pat. p. 3. m. 27 (1).

2 March. Grant, in tail male, to Jasper, duke of Bedford, of all the castles, lordships, and manors of Glomorgan and Morgannok, Abergavenny, and their members, with appurtenances in Wales and the marches thereof: Also

1 Hen. VII. the manors and lordships of Mynstrelovell and pasture in Estwamburgh, co. Wilts., Nortonbroyn, Cogges, Hardewic, Roderfeld Grey, Somerton, and Banbury, co. Oxon.; the manors and lordships of Wedeford and Rysingdon, co. Glouc.; the manors and lordships of Acton Burnell, Holgat, Langdon, Wolstanton, Smythcote, Abyton, Milnechop', and Uppington, co. Salop., in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, late Viscount Lovell: Also the castle of Welcy and lordships of Weley and Northfeld, co. Worc.; the manors and lordships of Stoke, Kingesweston, Ayleberton, Rokhampton, Shepardyn, and Uley, co. Glouc.; the manor of Brightmerston, co. Wilts.; the manor of Kingissaymore, co. Somerset; and the manor of Bradley, co. Glouc., in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of William Berkeley, knt.: Also the castle and lordship of Sudeley, co. Glouc.; to hold the same, from the 21st August last, by the rents and services therefore anciently due. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 725. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21). 1486.

Grant, for life, to William Tyler, knt., of the offices of constable of the castle, master of the game, steward and surveyor of the lordship, and parker of the park of Sudeley, with wages of 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* a year for the first four offices, such as John Huddelston, esq., had in the same, and 8*d.* a day for the office of parker, such as Thomas Parker had with the same; grant also of the herbage and pannage of the said park, at a yearly rent of 100*s.*, to be paid into the hands of the reeve or bailiff of the lordship of Sudeley, and not elsewhere. 21 Feb. P. S. No. 726. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22). 2 March.

Grant, in survivorship, to Richard Fisshere, and Elizabeth his wife, of an annuity of 10 marks during the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham, and as long as the manor or lordship of Wexcombe, co. Wilts., shall remain in the hands of the Crown, out of the issues thereof. 14 Feb. P. S. No. 727. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8). 2 March.

1486. 2 March. Grant, for life, to William Michell (in consideration of faithful and diligent service done for the king and his most dearly beloved mother), of the office of keeper of the park of Bagshote within the forest of Windesore (from the 20th Aug. last past), with wages out of the farm or rent of a messuage or tenement called le Crowne, in Bagshote, and all other possessions of the Crown in Bagshote and the fields thereof, and the town and fields of Wynesham, co. Surrey. 9 Feb. P. S. No. 728. 1 Hen. VII.

2 March. Pardon to Elizabeth Windesore, widow of Thomas Windesore (late constable of Windsor Castle and lieutenant of all the king's forests, &c. belonging to the same castle), and to Edward Cheseman of London, gentleman, of all fines, forfeitures, &c. due to the king or to Richard III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, upon their accompts, &c. as executors of the will of the said Thomas Windesore. 1 March. P. S. No. 729. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7).

3 March. Henry, &c. To our welbeloved the kepers of our chace of Aldburne and of our forest of Braden, and to every of theym, gretyng. And wher as our officer Edmund Hikkes now late made sale of a certeyn woode, within our said forest and chace, to dyvers personnes for certeyn sommes of money, of which we be fully answhered and content, by the said Edmund, notwithstandyng he and other such as have bought the seid wood been interupted and letted of hewyng of same by diverise of you ; we, not willyng any of the seid persounes by you or any of you to be letted in that partie, wol therfor and straitly charge you that ye and every of you suffre the seid Edmund and every of theym, which have bought any of the said wood within or seid forest or chace of the seid Edmund, to lede and carye away hoolly their seid woode, accordyng to the sale by the same Edmund made. Yeven the iii. day of March, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c.

1 Hen. VII. Henry, &c. To the tresourer and chamberlains of oure Eschequier, greting. We wol and charge you that furthwithe upone the sighte herof ye paie and contente in redy money to oure trusty and welbeloved squier, Richard Pudsey, the somme of ten poundes sterlinges, which we have appointed him to have of us by wey of rewarde and in repayement of certain thinges by him provided and bought for disguisyng ayenst the twelfth night last past, and for his laboure susteigned thereaboutes, not setting eny preste or othere charge upon him in that behalf. And thies oure letteres shalbe unto you sufficient warrant and discharge in that behalf. Yeven undre oure pryve seal, atte oure paloys of Westminster, the thirde daie of Marche, the furste yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 730. 1486. 3 March.

Bull of Pope Innocent VIII., of dispensation of the marriage contracted between King Henry VII. and his Queen, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward IV., king of England. Dated at St. Peter's, Rome, on the vi. nones of March in the year, in the second year of his pontificate. P. B. 3 March.

Grant to Benet Medley, one of the clerks of the signet, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Yelvertoft, co. Northampton, parcel of the earldom of Warwick; to hold during the minority of Edward earl of Warwick, or as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with the same wages and fees as the said Benet had heretofore when occupying the said office. 1 March. P. S. No. 731. 3 March.

Grant to William Pye of the custody of the manor or lordship of Budefeld, co. Glouc., from Michaelmas last, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 100*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 20*d.* Orig. m. 17. 3 March.

Grant to John Holford of an annuity or annual rent of 4½*d.* a day, issuing out of the honor of Tuttebury, during the king's pleasure. L. R. 108. 4 March.

1486. 4 March. Grant to John Savile, knight for the king's body, of the office of steward of the lordship of Bradford, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold during his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the said office pertaining. L. R. 63. 1 Hen. VII.

4 March. Grant, for life, to Elizabeth, queen of England, widow of King Edward IV., of the lordship and manors of Waltham Magna, Badowe, Masshebury, Dunmowe, Lyeghes, and Farneham, in co. Essex, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, of the office of feodary and bailiff in the said lordships and manors, together with knight's fees, advowsons of churches, &c. L. R. 163b.

4 March. Grant to Geoffrey Rede of the office of the receiver of the lordship of Kydwelly, in South Wales, with the accustomed wages, fees, &c., and of an annuity or yearly rent of 20*l.* issuing out of the said lordship. L. R. 217.

4 March. The king, by the advice and assent of his council of the duchy of Lancaster, leases, for seven years, to Richard Cook, the passage or ferry over the Mersey between the vill of Lytherpole and the county of Chester, parcel of the said duchy, with all profits belonging to the same, at the annual rent of 60*s.* L. R. 54b.

4 March. Lease to Thomas ap Howell of the vill and lordship of Asshebourn, with all rents, perquisites of court, tolls of the market and fairs, &c.—all wardships, marriages, reliefs, escheats, and advowsons of churches, &c. being reserved to the king,—rendering annually for the same 14*l.* L. R. 111.

4 March. Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Mountgomery, of the water-mill of Uttoxather, and the pastures called Uttoxather More and Morehede, in co. Stafford, rendering annually for the said mill, 8*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and for the pastures called Uttoxather More and Morehede, 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and of improved rent, 3*s.* 4*d.* L. R. 110.

4 March. Lease, for seven years, to Hugh Worthyngton, of one parcel of land in the middle of the forest of Quernemore called Skarthwayte, parcel of the duchy of Lan-

1 Hen. VII. caster, and the herbage and pasture of Quernemore, rendering, therefore, annually for the parcel of land 14*s.*, and for the herbage and pasture 13*s.* 4*d.* L. R. 54[b]. 1486.

General pardon and release to Roger Tocotes, knt., sheriff of Wilts., alias of Bromeham, co. Wilts., knt., alias late of Bromeham, alias late of London, knt. 1 March. P. S. No. 732. Pat. p. 3. m. 27 (1). 4 March.

Grant, for life, to William More, one of the yeomen harbingers, of the office of keeper of the warren of Warwick, co. Warwick. 27 Jan. P. S. No. 733. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23). 4 March.

Grant, for life, to Alicia Hervi, of an annuity of 40 shillings sterling. 1 March. P. S. No. 734. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20). 4 March.

Grant to Mabella Dacre, widow of Humfrey Dacre, knt., late Lord Dacre, of the custody of all the possessions, &c. late belonging to her husband, who held of the king in capite ; grant also of the wardship and marriage of Thomas, son and heir of the said Humfrey, and of all the profits, &c. arising from the said possessions, on condition of maintaining the said heir according to his condition, keeping up repairs, &c. 2 March. P. S. No. 735. 4 March.

Grant, for life, to the king's beloved chaplain, Master John Bailly, of the canonry and prebend in the free chapel of our Blessed Lady and Saint George, in the castle of Windesore, co. Berks., with all rights, &c. such as Master William Toures, deceased, lately enjoyed therewith 27 Feb. P. S. No. 736. 4 March.

Grant, for life, to John Baldyswell, of the office of clerk of the king's council, with a salary of 40 marks a year from 30 Sept. last, a livery in summer and winter each year, &c. 2 March. P. S. No. 737. 4 March.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Rosse, esq., of the office of purveyor, &c. of the king's victuals, stuffs, artillery, and habiliments of war provided and to be provided for the defence of the town of Calais, and the towns, 4 March.

1486. castles, and fortalices in those parts, with wages of 2*s.* a day for himself, 12*d.* a day each for a clerk and a yeoman, and 6*d.* a day each for three servants, and all fees which John Wode and Ralph Wolseley had with the same office. 1 March. P. S. No. 738. 1 Hen. VII.

4 March. Grant to Humfrey Talbot, knt., of a house in the town of Calais, in which John Scotte, knt., lately dwelt; to hold the same during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick; the said house to be kept well and sufficiently repaired. 28 Feb. Pat. p. 3. m. 21 (7).

4 March. Grant to Master Andrew Oterborne of 20 marks a year out of the tonnage and poundage in the port of the city of London and the ports and places thereto adjoining, from Michaelmas last, until he shall be promoted to an ecclesiastical benefice of 40*l.* a year in value, or of lands and tenements of the same yearly value. S. B. No. 184. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2).

4 March. Grant, in survivorship, to Master Henry Sharp and Master Richard Fox, the king's beloved councillor and secretary, of the office of notary or prothonotary of the Chancery, with 50 marks per annum out of the hanaper, &c., upon surrender of the letters patent by which King Edward IV. granted the said office to Sharp for life. 1 March. P. S. No. 739.

4 March. Grant, during pleasure, to John Farington ("in consideracioun of the true and faithfull service that oure welbeloved subgiet hath doon unto us in oure late victorious journey and feld, to his great hurtis and costis, and for that hereafter he entendeth to doo") of the office of bailiff of the town of Shirborne, in Ryedale, co. York. 28 Feb. P. S. No. 740.

4 March.[1] Grant, during pleasure, to John Ude (for services beyond the sea and on this side) of the office of bailiff

[1] See under date Sept. 21.

1 Hen. VII. itinerant in the county of Cornwall, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the duchy of Cornwall. S. B. No. 185. 1486.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Rawlyn, one of the yeomen of the Crown (" in consideracioun of the true " and feithefulle service that oure welbeloved servant " hathe doone, as welle unto us as unto oure grete uncle, " King Henry VIth, and hereafter unto us entendeth to " doo"), of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Berstaple, co. Essex. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 741. 4 March.

Grant, for life, to John Crokker, one of the esquires of the king's body, of an annuity of 50 marks; 20 marks thereof out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Cambridge and Hunts., and 20 marks out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Essex and Hertford. 2 March. P. S. No. 742. Pat. p. 3. m. 27 (1). 4 March.

Grant, for life, to William Knight, yeoman of the Crown (for services in foreign parts and within the realm), of 6*d.* a day as his fee of the Crown. 2 March. P. S. No. 743. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5). 4 March.

Appointment of Richard Doland, esq., as clerk of the works at the palace of Westminster, the tower of London, the castle of Windesore, the manors of Eltham, Claryngdon, Groveley, Melchet, Fymkeley, Dyley, Bukholt, Shene, Chilterne, Langley, Odyham, and the lodges within the parks of Eltham, Claryngdon, Chilterne Langeley, Odyham, and the mews for the falcons near Charyngcrosse, and all other castles, manors, and lodges within the kingdom of England; to hold in as ample a manner (the duties pertaining to his office are very fully set out) as John Arderne, deceased, or any other holder of the same office had the same. S. B. No. 186. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21). 4 March.

Special livery and licence of entry, without proof of age, for John Devereux, knt., Lord Ferrers, son and heir of Anne, widow of Walter Devereux, knt., late Lord Ferrers, who was daughter and heiress of William Ferrers, 4 March.

1486. knt., late Lord Ferrers, and Elizabeth, his wife. Pat. p. 2. 1 Hen. VII. m. 8 (18).

4 March. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Thwaites, knt., of the office of treasurer of Calais and the marches thereof, with such wages, &c. as Thomas Blount, esq., had in the same office. 1 March. P. S. No. 744.

4 March. Grant, in tail male, to John Mortymer, knight for the king's body, of the lordships or manors of Upton Snodesbury and Wykebournell, co. Worcester, late belonging to Francis, Lord Lovell, and through his forfeiture in the hands of the Crown; to be held by the same services as were due to the Crown for the same before the said forfeiture. 25 Feb. P. S. No. 745. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16).

4 March. Grant to Robert Lugge of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Swyer, co. Dorset, parcel of the earldom of Salisbury, with wages of 4*d.* a day out of the issues of the said lordship during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick. 2 March. P. S. No. 746. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (23).

4 March. Grant to Robert Bowley of the custody of the toll and petty custom of Pole, co. Dorset, together with the hall called Lordis Halle, and the warren of conies or pasture of Upton, from 23 Aug. last, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, without accompt. S. B. No. 187. Pat. p. 2. m. 7 (19).

5 March. Special livery and licence of entry, without proof of age, to John Saymour, son and heir of John Saymour, esq., and Elizabeth, his wife, and kinsman and heir of John Saymour, knt., and Isabella, his wife. Pat. p. 2. m. 8 (18).

5 March. Lease, for seven years, to William Netilton of the chief messuage with the easements of the houses of the manor of Roundhay, with all lands, &c. thereunto pertaining, together with the marle pit and the annual rents of the freeholders and termholders in Roundhay and Shadwell;

1 Hen. VII. also of the pasture and one bull and 24 cows in the park of Roundhay, with the herbage and pannage of the said park of Roundhay; also of the bailiwick of the vill of Ledes, and the common oven, with four bovates of land in Thornor; rendering for the chief messuage with the easements of the houses of the said manor, 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; for the herbage and pannage of the park aforesaid, 4*l.* 2*s.*; for the bailiwick of the vill of Ledes, 9*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.*; for the common oven, 44*s.*; for the four bovates in Thornor, 50*s.*, and an improved rent, 3*s.* 4*d.*: the said William to keep all the premises in repair at his own cost, taking timber and thakstone from the park of Roundhay and the wood of Secrofte at Shadwell and at le Stondelf there. L. R. 86. 1486.

Serenissimis atque excellentissimis principibus Ferdinando et Isabellæ Dei gratia regi et reginæ Castillæ, Legionis, Aragonum, etc., consanguineis suis charissimis, Henricus Dei gratia rex Angliæ et Franciæ, et dominus Hiberniæ, salutem et prosperorum successuum incrementa. Excellens animi virtus et sanguinis claritas, quibus insignis miles Henricus, dominus de Croy, plurimum pollet, ita nos ad amorem suum trahunt ut non solum omnem eidem nostrum favorem quibus possumus rebus ostendamus, sed etiam exteris principibus confederatis amicisque nostris eum charum commendatumque inprimis fieri cupiamus. Cum itaque is dominus Henricus, dominus de Croy, ad ditionem regnumque vestrum in præsentiarum se conferat, et veluti strenuus miles magnanimusque eques contra infideles hostes vestros, auxilium vobis laturus, iter suum armatus tendat, visus est nobis profesto dignus quod serenitatibus vestris singulari commendatione commendatum facissemus. Accedit nobilitati sui generis et militari disciplinæ atque animi magnitudini consanguinitas ipsa qua vestrum alteri fertur esse devinctus. Quocirca ut tantum virum intuitu nostro ac precibus suisque singularibus exigentibus meritis benigne ac favorabiliter 5 March.

1486. suscipiatis, etiam atque etiam rogamus, scientes prop- 1 Hen. VII.
terea rem nobis admodum gratam et jucundam vos esse facturos.

Ex regia nostra apud Sanctum Joannem juxta Londonias, die quinto Marcii M.cccclxxxvi^to.

HENRICUS REX.

Serenissimis ac potentissimis principibus Ferdinando et Isabellæ, Dei gratia regi et reginæ Castellæ, Legionis, Aragonum, etc., consanguineis nostris charissimis.

Grant, for life, to John Cheyne, knight of the king's body, of the offices of constable of the castle of Southampton, with 10*l.* wages out of the customs in the port of Southampton; of constable of the castle of Crischirch, co. Hants.; and steward of the lordships and manors of Crischirche, Ryngwode, and Hunton, co. Hants.; of keeper of the king's park called le Newe Parke, within the New Forest, co. Hants., with the custody of the manor, lodge, or place therein, with wages of 4*d.* a day out of the customs in the port of Southampton, in as full a manner as John Hoton held the same temp. Ric. III. (late, in deed but not of right, king of England); of steward of the lordship or manor of Cramburn, co. Dorset, and warden, master, or keeper of the chace of Cramburn, with 40*l.* wages out of the issues, &c. of Cramburn; of keeper of the park of Blakedon, near Cramburn, with wages out of the manor of Cramburn, in as full a manner as Henry Langshawe held the same; of steward of the lordship and manor of Canford, and of the town of Poole, co. Dorset, and of all lands called Salisbury landes and Spencers lands, in the Isle of Wight, in as full a manner as William Berkely, late of Bystrene, alias Bystrune, knt., held the same. 3 March. P. S. No. 747. Pat. p. 3. m. 1 (27).

5 March. Licence to Thomas Grafton (in payment of 500*l.*, which he has laid out for the king in the purchase of habiliments of war for the defence of the town of Calais,

1 Hen. VII. which habiliments are said to remain untouched at Calais,) and to Richard Awensham, and their factors, to beard, clack, and cleanse wool, and to export the same woollen cloths, pieces of tin, and fothers of lead out of the ports of London and Southampton, by the straits of Morrok, to foreign parts, and to import into England, from abroad, any merchandize they may please, with power to retain the customs and duties arising thereupon up to 500*l.*, without accompt. Indentures specifying the goods imported and exported to be made between them and the customs officers. 3 March. P. S. No. 748. 1486.

Grant to John Alfegh of the wardship of Humfrey Sandeford, a born fool and idiot, son and heir of John Sandeford, during his life; and grant of the custody of the manors of Well Lokyndale and Garington, co. Kent, late belonging to the said John Sandeford; grant also of the issues, &c. of the said manors, on condition that the said Humfrey be maintained out of the same in a style suitable to his condition. 29 Jan. P. S. No. 749. 5 March.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Cheseman ("in consideracion of the true and feithfulle service that oure welbeloved servaunt and true liege man William Cheseman hathe doone unto us, as well in the parties of beyonde the see, as at oure late victorious felde within this oure royaume"), of the offices of bailiff of the rape of Lewes, of bailiff of the rape of Braneburgh, and of clerk of the market of the town of Lewes, co. Sussex. 4 March. P. S. No. 750. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21). 5 March.

Grant, for life, to Thomas, earl of Derby, of the office constable of England, with a salary of 100*l.* a year out of the revenues of the possessions belonging to the Crown in the county of Lancaster. 28 Feb. P. S. No. 751. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (10). 5 March.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Marshall, of the office of porter of the castle of Sherefhoton, co. York, with the keeping of the wardrobe within the same. 28 Feb. P. S. No. 752. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20). 5 March.

1486. 5 March. Grant, in tail male, to Thomas West, knt., Lord la Warre, of the castle, barony, honor, lordship, town, and borough of Brembre, alias Bramborowe, co. Sussex; the manors of Kyngesbernes, Bedyng, West Grynsted, Knappe, and Wasshington; the forest of St. Leonard; the parks of Beanbusshe and Knappe; the hundreds of Britford, Stenyng, Grenstede, Burbeche, and Wyndeham; the half hundred of Esewrith and the half hundred of Fysshe-risgate, co. Sussex, with everything thereto pertaining, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of John, late duke of Norfolk, rendering 50*l.* a year to the Crown, and all other services therefore anciently due. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 753. Pat. p. 4. m. 3 (22). 1 Hen. VII.

5 March. Grant to James Hide, esq., of the office of steward of the manor and lordship of Caversham, co. Oxon., during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, late the wife of George, late duke of Clarence, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. P. S. No. 754.

5 March. Grant, in survivorship, to John Pilton and William Lynne, of the office of ranger of the bailiwicks of Clyf, Brygstoke, and Rokyngham, and of all the parks and foreign woods in the said bailiwicks within the king's forest of Rokyngham, co. Northampton. 1 March. P. S. No. 755. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8).

5 March. Grant to Thomas Westbury, one of the yeomen of the chamber, of the office of keeper of the king's game within the king's ground called Sturfeld, with the woods tot he same belonging, co. Hants., during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as Sturfeld shall remain in the king's hands, with wages of 2*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Cristes Churche, co. Hants. 3 March. P. S. No. 756. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20).

5 March. Mandate to William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper of the Chancery, to deliver up, without delay, to William, earl of Nottingham, his letters patent of appointment as earl marshal of England, &c. (Pat. p. 3. m. 27 (1),

1 Hen. VII. charging only thereupon a fee of 8*l.* 9*s.*, and discharge to Smyth for all other fees due to the Crown upon the same. S. B. No. 188. 1486.

Grant, for life, to William Willughby, of the office of constable and warden of Norwich Castle, with the wages, &c. which were allowed temp. Edward III. and Richard II. for the same office, out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. 3 March. P. S. No. 757. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20). 5 March.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Worley, one of the gentlemen of the Chapel Royal, of the tenement or ale house called le Lambe, in Distaf Lane, in the city of London, from Easter last. 4 Jan. P. S. No. 758. Pat. p. 3. m. 26 (2). 5 March.

Grant to Elizabeth, queen of England, wife of Edward IV., which recites :—That by patent, under the seal of the duchy of Lancaster, dated 4 March, 1 Hen. VII., the lordships and manors of Waltham, Great Badowe, Masshebury, Dunmowe, Leighes, and Farnham, co. Essex, parcel of the said duchy, and the offices of feodary and bailiff in the said lordships and manors, and all other appurtenances, had been granted to her, for life, in part compensation for her dowry. The present patent further grants to her, for life, in compensation for the residue of her dowry, the following yearly payments; viz., 102*l.* 15*s.* 6*d.* out of the fee-farm of the town of Bristol and the suburbs thereof; 20*l.* out of the fee-farm of the borough or town of Bedford; 22*l.* 19*s.* 3¾*d.* out of the fee-farm of the city of Norwich, and of the improved rent of the same; 50 marks a year payable by the convent of St. Alban's as farm during its voidance; 60*l.* out of the farm of the manor and hundred of Barton Bristol, co. Glouc., by the hands of Henry, duke of Warwick, and his heirs, and the sheriff of Gloucestershire; 40*l.* out of the fee-farm of the town of Ipswich, co. Suffolk; 40*l.* a year payable by the monastery of St. Edmund for the custody of the abbey and the temporalities thereof; 9*l.* 16*s.* 9*d.* a year out of the surplusage of the manor of Lowystoft 5 March.

1486. and the hundred of Luddynglond, co. Suff., by the hands 1 Hen. VII.
of the heirs male of Michael de la Pole, earl of Suffolk, and of the other castles and lands specified in the roll of Hen. V. (roll 7) assigned to him, to the value of 500*l.* a year; 34*l.* 12*s.* out of the farm of the town of Notyngham, and the improved rent thereof; 30*l.* out of the farm of the town of Derby; 40*l.* of and for the manor of Hedyngton, with the hundred of Bolyngton without the Northern Gate of Oxford, by the hands of William Wilcotes and his heirs, or by the sheriff of Oxfordshire and Berks; 12*l.* out of the farm of the manor of Pourestok, co. Dorset; by the hands of John de Wroxhalle and his heirs, and the sheriff of Dorset; 15*l.* for the hundred of Calne, and the water-mill in Calne, co. Wilts, by the hands of William la Zouch de Totneys, knt., and his heirs, and the sheriff of Wilts.; 35*l.* out of the fee-farm of the town of Oxford; 46*l.* out of the fee-farm and improved rent of the town of Southampton; 10*l.* out of the farm, as well of the two parts as of the third part, of the manor of Godyngton, cos. Oxon. and Bucks., by the hands of Richard Damory and his heirs, and the sheriff of Oxfordshire and Bucks.; 12*l.* out of the farm or custody of the town of Shaftesbury, by the hands of the abbess and convent of Shaftesbury, and the sheriff of Somerset and Dorset; 12*l.* out of the farm of Kynton, by the hands of Nicholas Segrave and his heirs, and the sheriff of Warwick and Leicester; 100*s.* out of the fee-farm of the wapentake of Goscote, by the hands of the same; 116*s.* out of the farm of the moiety of the town of Tamworth, and of the improved rent thereof; 12*l.* 18*s.* 5½*d.* out of the fee-farm of the hundred of Framlond, co. Leic., by the hands of Roger Bellers; 108*s.* 4*d.* out of the farm of the honors of Bonon', Peverell, and Hagnet, cos. Bucks., Northampton, and Leicester, and of the castle and honor of Huntyngdon with its appurtenances, in the unties of Hunts., Cambridge, Beds., Bucks., and North-

1 Hen. VII. ampton, which belonged to John Hastyngis, earl of Pembroke; 70*l.* out of the ancient farm and improved rent of the town of Cambridge; 20*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.* out of the farm and improved rent of the town of Shrewsbury; 12*l.* out of the fee-farm of the manor of Forde, by the hands as well of Nicholas de Audeley (brother and heir of Thomas, son and heir of James de Audeley) and his heirs, as of the sheriff of Shropshire; 10*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* out of the fee-farm of the manor of Rowley, co. Staff., by the hands as well of the abbot and convent of Halesowen, as of the sheriff of Stafford; 9*l.* out of the custody of the manors of Kynfare and Storton, and of the forest of Kynfare (which custody Edward Attewode, late a yeoman of the king, held at the like farm, for term of the life of Henry Mortimer, by grant of the same Henry), by the hands as well of Hugh Tyrell, brother and heir of John Tyrell, and his heirs, as of the sheriff of Stafford; 20*l.* out of the fee-farm of the town of Malmesbury, with the three hundreds thereto pertaining, by the hands as well of the abbot and convent of Malmesbury, as of the sheriff of Wilts.; 15*l.* out of the farm of Radwell, by the hands as well of the heirs of Hugh de Veer and Dionisia de Montcenis, his widow, as of the sheriff of Essex and Herts. Further grant, for life, in compensation as aforesaid, of the manors or lordships of Haveryng atte Boure and Bradwell, co. Essex; the castle, lordship, or manor of Hadlegh, alias Hadley, co. Essex; also a shelp called Hadlegh Ree, co. Essex, and dredging for muscles in Tilbery Hope, co., Essex; the manors or lordships of Banstede and Walton, alias Wauton, co. Surrey, with the park and warren, and all lands and tenements in Charlewode, co. Surrey; the manors of Langley Marreys and Wirardesbury, co. Bucks.; the manors and lordships of Cokeham and Bray, co. Berks., with all rents pastures, and purprestures in the parish of Bray, in the forest of Windesore, and assarts, wastes, purprestures, and 1486.

1486. rents of the same, &c. in the said two manors and forest and the seven hundreds of Cokeham and Bray, co. Berks., with the issues thereof; the castle, manor, lordship, and hundred of Odyham, co. Hants.; the manor, town, and barton of Gillyngham, co. Dorset; the manor and lordship of Cosseham, co. Wilts.; the lordship and manor of Marleburgh, and the manor of Berton, near Marleburgh, and the borough of Marleburgh, co. Wilts.; the hundred of Selkesey, alias Selkeley, and the perquisites of courts of Berton, near Marleburgh, aforesaid; all assarts of the forest of Savernak, with the agistment and pannage within the forest, and all other appurtenances to the same lordship, manor, burgh, and hundred pertaining, held by Humphrey, late duke of Gloucester, and all rents of assarts, &c. in that forest; the castle, manor, park, borough, and lordship of Devises; the manor and town of Ronde, and the forest of Milkesham, Pevesham, and Chippenham, and all rents and farms of assarts, &c. in that forest; the manors of Merston Meysey, co. Wilts, Hampstede Marchall, with the parks, &c., co. Berks, and Benham, alias Benham Lovell, co. Berks.; two messuages, two plough lands, 40 acres of meadow, 20 acres of wood, with the appurtenances, in Holdenham and Westbroke, co. Berks., parcel of the said manor of Benham Lovell; the manors of Swalowfeld, co. Berks., and Great Wrattyng, alias Talworth Wrattyng, co. Suff.; and the manor, lordship and forest of Fekenham, co. Worc., and all rents and farms of assarts, &c. in that forest. P. S. No. 759. Pat. p. 3. m. 25 (3) and 24 (4). 1 Hen. VII.

6 March. Lease to Sir Alexandre Beynam, for seven years, of the halves and halvendeles of the weirs called Rodley Were, Newe Were, and Garne Were, with the fishing called Unlawe Water to the same halves or weirs of old time belonging, within the water of Severn, and to the duchy of Lancaster, in the county of Gloucester, appertaining, together with "all the fisshes royal, as other,

1 Hen. VII. " whatsoever thei be, in the same weris and fisshinges to " be taken, and also to be putte and adjoyned to the said " weres and lakesherthes, as of old tyme," yielding annually to the king 12*l.* sterling, and the said Alexander keeping the said halves and halvendeles of the said weirs in repair, except Garne weres. L. R. 211. 1486.

Grant to Ralph Billington, for the term of his life, of the stewardship of the manor or lordship of the Savoy, in the suburbs of the city of London, without the Bar of the New Temple, in co. Middx.; parcel of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 178. 6 March.

Grant to John Marnet, for the term of his life, of the office of keeper of the park of Maresfeld, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Sussex, with the accustomed wages, fees, &c. L. R. 178[b]. 6 March.

Lease, for seven years, to Ralph Cook, of the passage or ferry over the water of Mercy, between the vill of Lytherpole and the county of Chester, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, together with the boat and all the profits, issues, and emoluments pertaining to the said passage or ferry, rendering therefore annually 60*s.* sterling. L. R. 54[b]. 6 March.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Bayen, one of the clerks of the Chancery, of the office of under clerk of the Parliaments. Further grant to him, during pleasure, of 100*s.* yearly at the receipt of the Exchequer from Michaelmas last, when he entered into office. 4 March. P. S. No. 760. 6 March.

Grant, for life, to Matthew Cradok, of the offices of constable of the castles of Kayrfilli and Kensike in South Wales. 24 Feb. P. S. No. 761. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25). 6 March.

Grant to Henry Colet, alderman of the city of London (for a monetary consideration), of the custody of the possessions late belonging to John Iwardby, who held of the king in capite at his death by knight's service, during the minority of Elizabeth, Margery, and Elen, 6 March.

1486. daughters and heirs of the said John; grant also of the wardship and marriage of the said daughters until their majority, and until due livery shall have been prosecuted out of the hands of the Crown touching the same; grant of all issues, profits, &c. Clause for continuance of the custody, &c., in the event of the present heirs dying minors, until an heir or heirs shall attain majority, without accompt; competent support to be provided for the said heirs, &c. 28 Dec. P. S. No. 762. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25). 1 Hen. VII.

6 March. Grant to Master Thomas Medfeld, clk. (in consideration of faithful and acceptable service to the king and his most dear mother heretofore performed to their singular pleasure), of an annuity of 10*l.* from Michaelmas last, until an ecclesiastical benefice of a like or a better yearly value can be found for him. S. B. No. 189. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22).

6 March. Rex dilectis et fidelibus suis Egidio Daubeney militi, Thomæ Thwaytes militi, Thomæ Fynes militi, Adriano Whetelle, Willielmo Rosse, Henrico Chambre, Willielmo Dollyng, Roberto Byngham, Willielmo Brierley, Johanni Done et Johanni Derham, salutem. Sciatis quod cum walliæ, fossata, gutteræ, seweræ, pontes, calceta, et gurgites aquarum super costeram maris, et marisci a villa nostra Calesiæ et skunagio ejusdem in partibus Picardiæ usque insulam de Colne, et a insula illa usque Sandegate, et a Sandgate usque Hammes, et a Hammes usque Bavillingham, et a Bavillingham usque Marke, et a Marke usque Oye, et a Oye usque Guysnes in dictis partibus Picardiæ, per impetum maris, fluxus et refluxus, ac per innundationes aquarum dulcium per diversa loca ad mare descendentium, adeo rupta sint et confracta, quod quamplura damna inestimabilia, pro defectu reparationis eorundem walliarum, fossatorum, gutterarum, sewerarum, pontium, calcetorum, et gurgitum, temporibus retroactis evenerunt ibidem, et adhuc timendum est quod longe majora processu temporis

1 Hen. VII. evenient, nisi super hoc celerius adhibeatur remedium oportunum. Nos, pro eo quod, ratione dignitatis nostræ, ad providendum salvationi partium prædictarum circumquaque, simus astricti, volentes in hac parte congruum et festinum remedium adhibere, assignavimus vos decem, novem, octo, septem, sex, quinque, quatuor, tres et duos vestrum, quorum aliquem vestrum vos præfati Egidie, Thoma, Thoma, Adriane, Willielme Rosse, Henrice et Willielme Dolling unum esse volumus, justiciarios nostros ad prædicta wallias, fossata, gutteras, seweras, pontes, calceta, et gurgites, ac trencheas prædicta supervidenda, et inquirendum per sacramentum tam militum quam aliorum proborum et legalium hominum de partibus prædictis, per quos rei veritas melius scire poterit, per quorum vel cujus defectum hujusmodi damna contigerunt ibidem, et qui terras et tenementa tenent aut communiam pasturæ seu piscariæ in partibus prædictis, aut etiam defensionem et commodum et salvationem qualitercumque habent vel habere poterunt, tam periculo propinquiores quam ab eodem remotiores, per prædicta wallias, fossata, gutteras, seweras, pontes, calceta, et gurgites, aut etiam damnum vel commodum per trencheas prædictas, et ad omnes illos pro quantitate terrarum et tenementorum suorum, sive per numerum acrarum sive per carucatas, pro rata portionis tenuræ suæ, seu pro quantitate communiæ pasturæ vel piscariæ suæ, ibidem distringendos, una cum ballivis libertatum et aliorum locorum de partibus prædictis, ad prædicta wallias, fossata, gutteras, seweras, pontes, calceta, et gurgites in locis necessariis reparanda et emendanda, et ad ea vel alia quotiens et ubi necesse fuerit de novo facienda, ac ad trencheas prædictas in locis necessariis mundanda et si necesse fuerit obstruenda: ita quod aliquibus tenentibus terrarum et tenementorum hujusmodi, vel communiam pasturæ seu piscariæ habentibus, diviti vel pauperi, aut alteri cujuscumque fuerit conditionis status vel dignitatis, qui defensionem, com- 1486.

1486. modum et salvationem per prædicta wallias, fossata, gutteras, seweras, pontes, calceta et gurgites, seu etiam damnum per trencheas prædictas, qualitercumque habent seu habere possunt, sive fuerint infra libertates sive extra, nullatenus parcatur in hac parte. Et ad agistamenta super fossata maris pro salvatione partium prædictarum, juxta numerum acrarum sive perticarum, per vos decem, novem, octo, septem, sex, quinque, quatuor, tres et duos vestrum, quorum aliquem vestrum vos præfati Egidie, Thoma, Thoma, Adriane, Willielme Rosse, Henrice et Willielme Dollyng unum esse volumus, de novo numeranda, et quotiens et ubi necesse fuerit de novo facienda, et ad certos diligentes et fideles custodes pro salvatione prædicta deputandos, et ad audiendum compotum de collectoribus denariorum quos ex hac causa levari et in reparatione et emendatione dictorum walliarum, fossatorum, gutterarum, sewerarum, pontium, calcetorum, et gurgitum, aut obstructione trenchearum prædictarum, poni contigerit, et ad distringendum per vos decem, novem, octo, septem, sex, quinque, quatuor, tres et duos vestrum, quorum aliquem vestrum vos præfati Egidie, Thoma, Thoma, Adriane, Willielme Rosse, Henrice et Willielme Dollyng, unum esse volumus, vel per alios quos ad hoc duxeritis deputandos pro arreragiis hujusmodi collectionis, quotiens opus fuerit et videritis expediri, ac ad statuta et ordinationes pro salvatione et conservatione costeræ maris marisci ac partium adjacentium necessaria et oportuna, juxta leges et consuetudines Marisci de Romeney, facienda et ordinanda, et ad præmissa omnia et singula, tam ad sectam nostram quam aliorum quorumcumque, coram vobis in hac parte conqueri volentium, audienda et terminanda secundum legem et consuetudinem regni nostri Angliæ, ac consuetudinem Marisci de Romeney supradictam. Necnon ad tot fossatores ac alios operarios et laboratores quot pro operationibus et reparationibus prædictis sufficere poterunt, pro competenti salario eis 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. in hac parte solvendo, ob grandem et festinam necessi- 1486.
tatem instantem capiendos et in operationibus et reparationibus prædictis ponendos. Et ideo vobis mandamus quod ad certos dies et loca quos vos decem, novem, octo, septem, sex, quinque, quatuor, tres et duo vestrum, quorum aliquem vestrum vos præfati Egidie, Thoma, Thoma, Adriane, Willielme Rosse, Henrice et Willielme Dolling unum esse volumus, ad hoc provideritis, prædicta wallias, fossata, gutteras, seweras, pontes, calceta, et gurgites, et trencheas supervideatis, et præmissa omnia et singula faciatis, expleatis, audiatis et terminetis in forma prædicta. Ita quod pro defectu reparationis eorundem walliarum, fossatorum, gutterarum, sewerarum, pontium, calcetorum, et gurgitum, ac obstructionum trenchearum prædictarum, damnum vel periculum aliquod non eveniat quoquomodo. Et omnes illos, quos negligentes vel rebelles in reparatione et factione portionum ipsos inde contingentium inveneritis, per destrictiones et amerciamenta, ac aliis viis et modis quibus melius expedire videritis ad defectus hujusmodi celeriter reficienda et emendanda, compellatis, et omnia quæ per vos ordinari et fieri contigerint in hac parte, tam infra libertates quam extra, faciatis firmiter observari; facturi inde quod ad justitiam pertinet secundum legem et consuetudinem prædictas. Salvis nobis amerciamentis et aliis ad nos inde spectantibus. Mandavimus enim universis et singulis majoribus ballivis ac aliis officiariis et ministris nostris in partibus prædictis, quod ad certos dies et loca quos vos decem, novem, octo, septem, sex, quinque, quatuor, tres vel duo vestrum, quorum aliquem vestrum vos præfati Egidie, Thoma, Thoma, Adriane, Willielme Rosse, Henrice et Willielme Dolling unum esse volumus, eis scire faciatis, venire faciant coram vobis decem, novem, octo, septem, sex, quinque, quatuor, tribus, vel duobus vestrum, quorum aliquem vestrum vos præfati Egidie, Thoma, Thoma, Adriane, Willielme Rosse, Henrice et Willielme Dolling unum esse volumus, tot

1486. et tales, tam milites quam alios, probos et legales homines de partibus prædictis, per quos rei veritas in præmissis melius sciri poterit et inquiri. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium vi. die Martii. Fr. m. 6 (10). 1 Hen. VII.

6 March. Commission to Giles Daubeney, knt., Oliver Kyng, clk., John Dun, knt., John Guldeford, knt., Thomas Thwaytes, knt., James Hobart, William Castelton, Nicholas Fayrefax, and Richard Burdoke, to make inquiry, by jury, touching all possessions belonging to the Crown or to others within the town of Calais, and the skuvage of the same, the island of Colne, the lordships of Sangdegate, Hammes, Bavillingeham, Marke, and Oye, and the lordship and county of Guysnes, in the parts of Picardy, how the same are held, of what acreage the same consist, what is the yearly value thereof, how and in what manner the same are severally extended, and what are the metes and bounds thereof; also touching the metes and bounds agreed upon, fixed, and placed by commissioners appointed temp. Ric. II. to fix a boundary in the said parts of Picardy, Artois, and Flanders; also touching all lands concealed or withdrawn from the Crown, by whom, and of what yearly value; power also given to them to grant lands, &c., according to their discretion, for life or for terms of years, and to do everything that may be necessary for the management of the said possessions and for the protection of the interest of the Crown. S. B. No. 190.

6 March. Commission to Master Oliver Kyng, clk., John Dun, knt., John Guldeford, knt., James Hobart, and William Castelton, to reduce, ask for, accept, and receive, in the name and into the hands and subjection of the Crown, the town and castle of Calais, the tower of Rysebank, the town and castle of Guysnes, and the castle of Hammes, and the marches of the same, in whosesoever hands the same may be detained, or by whomever they may be occupied, and when the same shall have

1 Hen. VII. been got hold of, to give up possession thereof to certain persons whom the king shall by letters patent authorize to receive them; to administer oaths of fealty and obedience to all persons to whom the said commissioners shall consider it advisable so to do; to superintend the payment of wages and fees of all knights, soldiers, and other officers; to remove such knights, soldiers, and officers when necessary, and to do everything that may be needful for the protection of the interests of the Crown therein. S. B. No. 191. 1486.

By the kyng. 6 March.

We woll and charge you that, incontenent uppon the sight hereof, ye suffre Richard Norton, clerk, by what name or namys so ever he be callyd, to take oute oure generalle lettres of pardoun, and theyme to have and enjoye accordyng to theffecte and purparte of the same, his name beyng in the bylle of excepcioun notwythstandyng. And thes oure lettres, signed with oure owne hand, shalbe your sufficient warant. Yeven the vj. day of March, the fyrst yere of oure reygne.

To the right reverend fader in God oure ryghte trusty and welbelovyd the bisshope of Ely, oure chaunceler of Englond. S. B. No. 192.

Grant, for life, to Edmund Hampden, esq. (for service in France and in England), of the offices of steward or lieutenant of the manor of Wodestoke, co. Oxford, and of the members thereof, viz., Hambergh, Stonesfeld, Wotton, and Bladon, and of the hundred of Wotton; of parker or keeper of Woodstock Park, and of doorward of the same park; of surveyor and controller of the workmen in the said manor; of gardener or keeper of the king's garden in the said manor; of keeper of the king's meadows there; of keeper of the king's foreign woods of the said manor; and of ranger of the New Forest there; with the same wages, fees, &c. as Richard Croft, Thomas Croft, and John Fox heretofore had in the same offices, or any one or more of them, under any grant from King 6 March.

1486. Edward IV. 1 March. P. S. No. 763. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 ; Hen.VII. (3).

6 March. Commission addressed to Richard Harecourt, knt., John Verney, knt., Thomas Rokes, John Cottismore, Thomas Restwold, Richard Halle, Drew Barantyne, and John Eggecombe, directing them to inquire, by juries of the counties of Oxon. and Bucks., into any riots, trespasses, and other misdemeanours that may have been done or perpetrated by Giles and Cristofer Wellesborne, and others their adherents ; also to arrest and take the bodies of the same offenders wheresoever found, and bring them before the king and his council, there to answer to what may be objected against them, and to receive whatever punishment may be awarded against them. The commissioners are to certify the king and his council of their proceedings herein. Orig. m. 123.

6 March. Grant to Thomas Heigham, esq. (in consideration of good, laudable, and grateful service to the king), of the offices of keeper of the park of Combey and keeper of the park of Southwode, co. Suff., during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. S. B. No. 193.

6 March. Grant, for life, to John Tremaille, of the office of constable of the castle of Nethe and Abraven, in the counties of Glomorgan and Morgannok, in South Wales, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Glomorgan. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 764. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25).

6 March. Grant, for life, to Richard Pygotte, one of the yeoman of the king's chamber, of the office of parker or keeper of the park of Pottenall within the precincts of the forest of Wyndesore, with wages of 4*d.* a day, from 24 Sept. last, out of the issues, &c. of the castle or lordship of Wyndesore, upon the following recital :—

To the kyng oure soverayne lorde.

Sheweth in humble wyse unto youre moost noble grace youre true and dayly servaunte Rychard Pygotte,

1 Hen. VII. one of the yomen of youre chambre, that whereas it hath liked youre said grace, in consideracioun of the true and feithfulle service whiche youre said servant hathe done unto your highenesse, as welle byyonde the see as on this syde, yafe and graunted unto hym thoffice of keppying of youre parke of Pottenalle, in youre countie of Surrey, withyn procincte of youre forest of Wyndesore, to have and occupye the same office for terme of his lyef, with wages thereunto due and accustumed. And for as moche as the said office was not auncient, accordyng to the lymytacioun of the statute made of Edward the Third and Richard the Seconde, som tyme kynges of Englond, therfore youre seid besecher can no wages have alowed in youre Escheker. In consideracioun whereof, that it may please youre moost noble and habundant grace to graunte unto your said servaunt newe lettres patentes, with expresse wages of iiij. d. by day, as oone John Molle late had by the graunte of Kyng Edward the Fourthe, accordyng to the tenor hereafter ensuyng; and that this bylle, signed withe youre moost gracyous hand, in consyderacioun the grete expensis and charges of youre said servant in sute for the fees of his said lettres patentes, be warrant sufficiant and discharge to youre chaunceler of Englond for the execucioun of the same, and withoute any fee to be payed in youre Chauncerye. And youre said servant shal dayly pray to God for the preservacioun of youre moost royal estate. S. B. No. 194. 1486.

Grant, for life, to John Williams, of the offices of keeper of the king's park of Lapworth and of the king's armoury within the castle of Warwick, co. Warwick. 2 March. P. S. No. 765. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20). 6 March.

De liberatione magni sigilli episcopo Eliensi. Memorandum quod die Lunæ sexto die Martii anno regis Henrici Septimi primo circa horam decimam ante nonam ejusdem diei, in quadam parva alta camera juxta gardinum in hospitali Sancti Johannis Jerusalem, in Anglia, extra barras West- 7 March.

1486. smythfeld, Londonia, idem dominus rex, in præsentia venerabilis patris P. Exoniensis episcopi, Jasparis ducis Bedfordiæ et Cristofori Ursewyke clerici elemosinarii ejusdem domini regis et aliorum plurimorum, magnum sigillum suum regium, in quadam baga de albo corio inclusum, et signeto, ipsius domini regis sigillatum, venerabili patri, Johanni episcopo Eliensi, deliberavit, quem, in ejus cancellarium, tunc ibidem constituit et ei custodiam dicti sigilli commisit; idemque venerabilis pater episcopus Eliensis sigillum prædictum de præfato domino rege, in præsentia, antedicta, recepit, et usque ad hospitium, suum in parochia Sancti Andreæ, in Holbourne, Londonia, secum asportari fecit. Et septimo die Martii tunc proximo sequente, circa horam decimam ante nonam, idem cancellarius, sigillum illud, in baga prædicta, sic inclusum et signeto præfati domini regis sigillatum, in hospitio præfati domini cancellarii, in præsentia Willielmi Bolton, Ricardi Skyptone et Roberti Blackwall, clericorum et aliorum aperiri, et cum eo diversa brevia et litteras patentes sigillari fecit, deindeque sigillum illud, sub custodia ejusdem, episcopi Eliensis cancellarii, auctoritate regia prædicta remansit. Cl. m. 7. 1 Hen. VII.

7 March. Lease, for seven years, to William Dyper, of the site of the manor of Colyngbourne, with the houses and edifices being within the same site, and the granery and tannery, with all lands, meadows, and demesne pastures pertaining to the said manor, rendering therefore annually 16*l.*, and keeping all the houses and edifices in repair, and maintaining all the hedges and inclosures pertaining to the said manor; the king paying the cost of repairing the stone wall with "les bolrez subtus lez groun- " celles" of the said grange, roofing the said granery, and finding the large timber and "tynot," together with the carriage of the said timber for the said repairs. The said William to have a moiety of all fines and amerciaments for trespasses on the corn and pasture thereunto

1 Hen. VII. belonging, together with 10 cartloads of fuel for firebote annually. L. R. 197b. 1486.

Pro Egidio Daubney, milite. 7 March.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis eos omnes, qui exilii nostri socii et participes fuere, in commodaque maxima et prope innumerabilia idcirco sunt perpessi, vitam denique pro nobis et regni recuperatione nostri, nos per mille pericula mortis sequentes, exposuerunt, ita nobis, cordi esse et animo, ut non satis ad eis benefaciendum et laborum præmia restituendum, defatigari valeamus, videaturque nobis ut dignam pro meritis mercedem illis nunquam rependere valeamus; cum itaque insignis miles, Egidius Daubney, dictus de Daubney, iis omnibus de quibus supra mentionem fecimus, laboribus et periculis, nostro amore ductus, se ingesserit, volentes meritorum suorum rationem aliquam habere, et felicitatum nostrarum participem facere, de gratia nostra speciali ac ex certa scientia et mero motu nostris ordinavimus, assignavimus et constituimus ipsum Egidium locumtenentem nostrum tam villæ et castri nostrorum Calesii, et turris nostri de Risbank, quam castri nostri de Guysnes, ac marchiarum ibidem, habendum, occupandum et exercendum locumtenentiam prædictam, per se vel per sufficientes deputatos suos vel sufficientem deputatum suum, a sexto die Aprilis proximo futuro usque ad finem et terminum septem annorum extunc proximo sequentium et plenarie complendorum; et postea quamdiu nobis placuerit, cum hujusmodi feodis, vadiis et regardis prout per indenturas, inde inter nos et præfatum Egidium debite conficiendas plenius poterit apparere, ac cum aliis juribus, honoribus et proficuis, et tam ampla potestate, prout aliqui locumtenentes, vel aliquis locumtenens dictorum villæ castrorum et turris, ante hæc tempora habuerunt, seu habuit; ac dictum Egidium retinuimus penes nos, durante termino prædicto, locumtenentem nostrum villæ castrorum, turris et marchia-

1486. rum ibidem prædictorum, prout per indenturas, illas plenius apparebit. Et insuper dedimus, et concessimus per præsentes licentiam et plenariam potestatem præfato Egidio quod ipse, durante termino prædicto, de tempore in tempus, ordinabit, stabiliet et ammovebit omnimodos officiarios de retinentia sua, quos sibi videbitur oportunos et convenientes pro bona et salva gardia villæ, castrorum, turris et marchiarum prædictorum. Et quod ipse, durante termino prædicto, de tempore in tempus, dare possit et concedere, nomine suo, per litteras suas sub sigillo suo sive signeto, salvos conductus, securitates et alias litteras gratiæ adversariis nostris veniendo Calesium et ad partes prædictas, ibidem morando et recedendo, per terram, ex illa parte maris, pro vitellatione villæ, castrorum et cæterorum præmissorum, necnon pro deliberatione prisonariorum, si quos capi contigerit, per ipsum Egidium vel per aliquem de retinentia sua, durante termino prædicto. Et quod hujusmodi litteræ, sic per ipsum conficiendæ, sint tam validæ et efficaces sicut essent si per nos sub magno sigillo nostro forent confectæ. Et quod ipse Egidius appatizare poterit, tempore guerræ, si casus id requirat, omnes parochias disobedientes et rebelles, ac pro eisdem dare litteras salvæ gardiæ et alias litteras sub sigillo suo requisitas in hac parte, durante termino illo, salva nobis auctoritate concedendi salvos conductos pro piscatione, et litteras gratiæ adversariis nostris, veniendo Calesium, et ad partes prædictas per mare, pro vitellatione villæ castrorum et cæterorum præmissorum. Concessimus ulterius præfato Egidio quod si præsentes litteræ nostræ sibi quoad præmissa seu eorum aliquod, invalidæ seu minus sufficientes, ob aliquam causam quamcumque, in lege existant sive existere contigerint, tunc Cancellarius noster Angliæ pro tempore existens, super sola monstratione præsentium eidem Egidio tot et tantas litteras patentes validas et sufficientes, ac brevia nostra, inde sub magno sigillo nostro fieri faciet et 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. deliberari absque prosecutione inde penes nos seu aliquo alio waranto, quot et qualia eidem Egidio necessaria fuerint, in hac parte et oportuna. Eo quod expressa mentio de certitudine sive de vero valore annuo sive de aliquo alio valore præmissorum, seu de aliis donis sive concessionibus per nos præfato Egidio ante hæc tempora factis in præsentibus minime facta existit, aut aliquo statuto, actu, ordinatione sive restrictione in contrarium edita, aut alia re, causa vel materia quacumque non obstante. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium vii. die Martii. 1486.

Per breve de privato sigillo et de data, etc. 3 March. P. S. No. 766. Fr. m. (5, 11).

Grant, for life, to Brian Balme, chaplain, of the chantry within the king's castle of Sandale, co. York (void by virtue of an act of Parliament, and in the king's gift), there to pray for the healthful estate of the king and the souls of his progenitors, and to perform Divine service in the same, and to do all things accustomed of old to be done there. 6 March. P. S. No. 767. Pat. p. 2. m. 7 (19). 7 March.

Grant, for life, to John Brereton, yeoman of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown. 2 March. P. S. No. 768. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22). 7 March.

Grant to John Burton, clk. (chaplain to the bishop of Worcester, the lord chancellor), master of the Hospital of St. Wolstan without the walls of the city of Worcester, and the brethren and infirm people serving God there, of the moiety of the manor of Pyry, near Worcester, with the toft of the site of such moiety, and all lands, meadows, feedings, woods, &c. thereto pertaining; also of a water-mill situate beneath the castle of Worcester, commonly called Froggemyll, with the pond and watercourse thereto belonging, and a curtilage adjoining to the same mill; to hold during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, at a yearly rent of 6*l.*, keeping up repairs, &c. S. B. No. 195. Pat. p. 3. m. 1 (27). 7 March.

1486. 7 March. Grant, for life, to Walter Courteney, knt. (in consideration of services at home and abroad), of an annuity of 40*l.* out of the customs of the ports of Exeter and Dartmouth, co. Devon, and the places and creeks to the same ports adjoining. 6 March. P. S. No. 769. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21). 1 Hen. VII.

Writ of liberate in pursuance of the above. 8 Mar.

7 March. Grant to Thomas Bourgchier, the younger, knt., and Agnes his wife, of the manors of Edelmeton, otherwise called Sayesbury and Diphams, and all lands, &c. called Claverynges, in Edelmeton, co. Midd., late belonging to Richard Charleton, knt., and forfeited to the king by an act of the Parliament held 7 November last; also grant of reversion (upon the death of Elizabeth, widow of the said Richard Charleton) of the manors of Swalcliff and Covelehall and lands in Woxbrigge, co. Midd., and lands called Hercies, Litel Helyndon, and Grete Helyndon, in Helyndon, co. Midd.; to hold to them and the heirs male of the said Thomas, by fealty only. 6 March. P. S. No. 770. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20).

7 March. Grant, for life, to Thomas Bourgchier, the younger, knt., of the offices of constable of the castle, porter of the castle, and parker of the park of Ledes, co. Kent, and of parker of the park of Langle, co. Kent, with wages, &c. (from 24 Sept. last), such as Robert de Corby, heretofore constable of the castle, John Dangre, porter of the castle and parker of the park of Ledes, and John Dungate, parker of the park of Langle, enjoyed temp. Edw. III. in the same offices, out of the issues, &c. of the manors or lordships of Ledes and Langle. S. B. No. 196.

7 March. Grant, during good behaviour, to William Casshell, of the office of comptroller of the customs and cocket in the port of the city of Dublin, in the port of the town of Drogheda, and in the port of the town of Dundalk, co. Leinster, with wages of 5*l.* per annum out of the customs, &c. of the port of Dublin, and 5*l.* yearly out of

1 Hen. VII. the customs of Drogheda. 4 March. P. S. No. 771. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20). 1486.

Grant, during good behaviour, to John Estrete, of the offices of collector of customs and cocket in the franchise, liberty, and port or haven of the city of Dublin, in Ireland, with the same wages, &c. as Thomas Blunket had, and 10 marks of silver a year as increase. 4 March. P. S. No. 772. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5). 7 March.

Grant to John Estrete, of the manor or lordship of Rathtoutht, co. Meath, the manor or lordship of Chapel Isold, and the water-mill belonging thereto, co. Dublin, in Ireland; to hold to him and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten. 4 March. P. S. No. 773. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20). 7 March.

Grant to John Heth of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Chadlyngton, co. Oxford, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Elizabeth, late duchess of Clarence, with such wages, &c. as William Slatter had. P. S. No. 774. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5). 7 March.

Grant, in tail male, to John Savage, the younger, knt. (in consideration of his having largely exposed himself, with a crowd of his kinsmen, servants, and friends, as volunteers in the king's service, in the battle against the king's great adversary Ric. III., the late pretended king of England, and also in consideration of other services rendered, always with anxious solicitude during prosperity as well as adversity), of the castle, manor, and lordship of Gresley and Kymbley or Kymberley, co. Notts.; the manor and lordship of Ilkeston, and a coal mine in Ilkyston alias Ekylston, co. Derby, forfeited by John Zouche, knt., Lord Zouche; also of the manors and lordships of Elmeton and Holmesfeld, co. Derb., and Grandby and Sutton, co. Notts., Shepeshed, co. Leic., and 22*s.* rent in the town of Leicester; also of the manors and lordships of Sutton Hubybunderell alias Hopbadler or Hopbodler, Watton alias Wotton, Corston, and Eudunburnell, or Eudenburnell, or Eudonburnell, 7 March.

1486. or Eudeburnell, co. Salop., forfeited by Francis Lovell, knt., viscount Lovell, under an act of the Parliament held at Westminster 7 Nov. last. Pat. p. 3. m. 2 (26). 1 Hen. VII.

7 March. Grant to John Swynerton, of the office of porter of Warrewyk Castle and keeper of the garden there called the Vineyerd, co. Warwick, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the earldom of Warwick shall remain in the hands of the Crown, with wages, &c. out of the earldom of Warwick. 6 March. P. S. No. 775. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20).

7 March. Grant to John Walsshe, of the office of surveyor and receiver-general of all the castles, lordships, manors, lands, &c. called Warrewik lands, Spencer lands, and Salesbury lands, in the counties of Warwick, Stafford, Northampton, Rutland, Bedford, Bucks., Essex, Middlesex, Kent, and Worcester, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, son and heir of Isabella, widow of George, late duke of Clarence, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown; further grant of 20 marks yearly for executing the said office, out of the said premises, and all fees, &c. due to the same office. 8 March. P. S. No. 776. Pat. p. 2. m. 6 (20).

8 March. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved theschetour of our countie of Devon, gretyng. And for as moch as oone William Sommaster, of our said countee, is now late decessed, and held of us certeyn londes and tenements by knyght service, as of our duchie of Lancaster, and died in our homage, his son and heire beyng within age, whos custodie, by reasoun of the said tenur, to us belongieth of right; wherfore we wol and desire you, and not the lesse charge, that accordyng to our right herin, which our feodares of our said duchie ther shal shew for us, and thoffice founde, to certifie the same unto Chauncery, as accordith with our lawes, wherin ye shall do unto us a singler pleasour such as we eftsomes shal remember. Yeven at our cite of London the viii. daye of March, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c.

1 Hen. VII. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved Roger Holand and John Wyvelle, feodares of our duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of Devon, and to either of them, gretyng. For as moche as oone William Sommaster, of our said countie, is now late decessed, and held of us certeyn landes and tenementes by knyghte service, as of our duchie of Lancaster, and died in our homage, his son and heir beyng within age; wherfore we wol and desire you, and not the lesse charge you, that immediatly upon the sight of thes our lettres ye diligently and effectuelly endevour, you accordyng to your seid office, to save our right herin, as our special trust is in you. Yevyng credence unto the brynger herof, in that he shal [shew] unto yow on our behalf for our right concernyng the premissez. Yeven, &c. at London the viii. daie of Marche, the furste yere, &c. L. W., &c. 1486. 8 March.

Grant to Richard Lewkenor, for the term of his life, of the office of master forester of the forest of Asshdon, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Sussex, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 178b. 8 March.

Grant to John Tredewey of the bailiwick of the lordship or manor of Wethersfeld, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Essex, with the accustomed fees, profits, &c., to hold during the king's pleasure. L. R. 163b. 8 March.

Henry, &c. To oure righte trusty and enterly beloved the erle of Oxford, gretyng. And wheras oone Ector Raynsford hath received, without auctorite, the issues of oure lordship of Wykes, parcel of oure duchie of Lancaster, in oure countie of Essex, of the fermours and tenants of the same, and the said issues reteynyth in his handes, and wol not delyver it unto oure receivour there; we have therfore, by oure lettres, commaundyd hym to paye the same, which he hath disobeied in every part, to oure great displeasor. And forsomoch as ye be high stuard of oure said duchie in thoes parties, we wol therfore and desire you to take such directioun herin as the said 8 March.

1486. issues, within brief tyme, may come to oure handes and discharge of any ferther entremyttyng with the seid lordship, as oure special trust is in you, wherin ye shal do unto us right good pleasour. Yeven, &c. the viij. day of March, the furst yer, &c. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

8 March. Grant to Reginald Bray, knt., and William Tyler, knt., of the custody of the manor of Oldebury, with the advowson of the church of Oldebury, co. Glouc., and of all the possessions which should belong to William Thorp, son of John Thorp, deceased, a born idiot, within the counties of Glouc., Wilts., Somerset, and Cornwall, and elsewhere in England; to hold, without accompt, during the said William Thorp's life, finding him proper maintenance, and committing no waste. 4 March. P. S. No. 777.

8 March. Licence (by advice of the council) to Reginald Bray, knt., and one of the king's council, and Alfred Corneburgh, esq., under-treasurer of England, and their factors (as long as they shall stay in office), to export from time to time, out of any ports in England, as many pieces of tin and fothers of lead as they shall please, in divers ships, to foreign parts; the customs and subsidies due thereupon to be paid. 7 March. P. S. No. 778.

8 March. Licence of entry, without proof of age, to William Darcy, son and heir of John Darcy, son and heir of John Darcy, deceased (which same John, the grandfather, held in capite of King Henry VI., the king's uncle, on the day of his death), into the manors of Rathwer and Kyldokkes, in Ireland, and all other possessions of which his father was possessed at the time of his death. Homage and fealty reserved to the Crown, &c. 20 Feb. P. S. No. 779.

8 March. Grant, for 12 years, to James Blount, knt., of the office of lieutenant of the king's castle of Hampnes, in the parts of Picardy, with soldiers under him in the said castle, and wages, &c. for himself and his soldiers, as specified in indentures made between him and the king (see under date 28 Feb.), and with all emoluments, &c.,

1 Hen.VII. such as Richard, earl of Warwick, late captain or lieutenant of the said castle, temp. Edw. IV., had in the same office. Appointment of all officers, &c. for the defence of the said castle. Power to grant safe conducts under his seal or signet to the king's adversaries going to and fro, for the victualling of the said castle, or for the delivery of prisoners, if any be taken by the said James or persons of his retinue during his tenure of office. 2 March. P. S. No. 780. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24). 1486.

Grant to Humfrey Grey, esq., of certain stalls or shops, "opellas sive shopas," lands and tenements, within the city of London, in a street "platea" commonly called Chepe, late belonging to Richard Charleton, knt., a rebel, and now forfeited to the king; viz., a shop which Thomas Colshill lately had there; a shop Henry Newton lately held there; two shops with a room built over them, which John Bolton, tailor, lately had there; a tenement which William Campion, grocer, lately held there; a tenement which Richard Swaldale lately held there; a tenement which Thomas Mariot, poynter, lately held there; a tenement which Ralph Rypplyngham, grocer, lately held there; and a tenement situate in Debbes Lane, which Thomas Dodde lately held: to hold the same to him, his heirs and assigns for ever, without accompt, by the services therefore, formerly due and accustomed. 4 March. P. S. No. 781. 8 March.

Grant, for life, to Symond Digby, of the office of keeper of the woods of Billowe and Burkeland, with the herbage and pannage, and drift of the same, co. Notts. 4 March. P. S. No. 782. 8 March.

Grant, for life, to Richard Guldeford, knt., of the office of master of the ordnance, with a salary of 2*s.* a day for himself, and divers allowances for persons employed under him; also grant, for life, of the office of serjeant or master of the armour in the Tower of London, with 12*d.* a day for himself, and allowances for people under him (to date from 8 Aug. last, when he was appointed 8 March.

1486. by the king to this office), in as full a manner as John Doon, knt., had the same; grant also, for life, of all buildings, lands, tenements, curtilages, and gardens situate, as well on the wharf of the Tower of London as on Tower Hill, and under the walls of London, lately held by Thomas Grey, without accompt. 13 Dec. P. S. No. 783. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5). 1 Hen. VII.

8 March. Grant, for life, to Master Richard Hille, clk., dean of the king's chapel, of the king's chapel called the Hermytage, otherwise called the Priory of the Hermytage, in Blakmore, co. Dorset. 7 March. P. S. No. 784. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21).

8 March. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Lowd, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Thornton, in Craven, co. York. 17 Feb. P. S. No. 785. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5).

8 March. Grant (from 25 Dec. last past), for life, to Roger Machado, chief herald Norroy, king-at-arms of the northern parts of the kingdom of England, of 20*l.* sterling a year as salary in the said office, upon recital that on the 25th of December last the king had appointed the said Roger Machado, otherwise called Richmond, to the above-mentioned office for life. P. S. No. 786.

8 March. Grant to John Peke, esq., of the offices of receiver-general and surveyor of all the possessions late belonging to Edmund, Lord de Roos, as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with wages of 20*l.* a year, and all fees, &c. anciently belonging to such offices, and allowance, upon his accompt, of expenses incurred in the collection of rents, &c. 6 March. P. S. No. 787. Pa . p. 2. m. 8 (18).

8 March. Grant, in survivorship, to Robert Poyntz, knt., and Alexander Baynham, knt., of the office of constable of the castle of St. Briavel, in the forest of Dene, co. Glouc., with fees, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the said forest and of the lordship of Newland, in the said forest. Power to appoint such clerks and officers under them as former

1 Hen. VII. holders of the same office appointed. 6 March. P. S. No. 788. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22). 1486.

Grant to Robert Palmer, esq., of the custody of the manor of Little Weldon, co. Northampton (in the hands of the Crown through the decease of Isabella, widow of John Cheyne, esq., who held the same for term of life by a grant from King Henry V., the reversion thereof belonging to the king and his heirs), from Michaelmas last, for 40 years, at a yearly rent of 9*l.* 3*s.*, and a yearly improved rent of 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 26. 8 March.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos certis considerationibus nos specialiter moventibus de gratia nostra speciali concessimus et licentiam dedimus dilectis nobis Johanni Pardo Sancio de Agurto et Paulo Pedrosa, mercatoribus de Ispannia, quod ipsi per se, factores, sive attornatos suos, indigenas vel alienigenas, centum et tres pecias stanni de bonis suis propriis, sive eorum alicujus, in quibuscumque galeis, carracis, navibus vel vasis, una vice vel diversis vicibus, in portu nostro de Plymmouth ad libitum suum eskippare et carcare, ac dictas pecias stanni sic eskippatas et carcatas ad quascumque partes exteras traducere et carcare, seu traduci et carcari facere valeant et possint, licite et impune, absque aliquibus custumis, subsidiis, seu aliis denariis nobis proinde solvendis, absque impedimento, impetitione, molestatione, gravamine, seu calumnia nostri aut officiariorum seu ministrorum nostrorum quorumcumque, aliquibus statutis ordinationibus provisionibus proclamationibus seu mandatis ante hæc tempora in contrarium factis ordinatis seu provisis in aliquo non obstantibus. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium viii. die Martii. 8 March.

Per breve de privato sigillo et de data prædicta, etc. 6 March. P. S. No. 789. Fr. m. (9) 7.

Grant to John Stokes, clk., of the canonry or prebend in the free chapel or collegiate church of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Saints George the Martyr and Edward the 8 March.

1486. Confessor, within the castle of Wyndesore, void by the resignation of the king's beloved clerk and councillor Robert Morton, the last incumbent thereof, and in the gift of the Crown. S. B. No. 197. Pat. p. 3. m. 20 (8). 1 Hen. VII.

8 March. Grant, during pleasure, to William Rosse, of the offices of surveyor of the works of Rysbanke, and of all the king's works within the town of Calais and in the marches thereof; and of master of the works of Rysebanke beyond the gate of the town of Calais, and of all the works within Calais and the marches thereof; with wages as surveyor of 12*d.* a day, allowed in the accompt of William Eremyn, treasurer of Calais, who accounted from 4 Nov., 50 Edw. III., to 3 Feb., 2 Ric. II., for the wages of Robert de Weston, surveyor of the works of Risebank from 5 Nov., 50 Edw. III., to 4 Nov., 1 Ric. II., and with wages as master of the works of 10*d.* a day, allowed in the accompt of the said William Eremyn for the wages of John Mynstre, master of the works of Rysebank beyond the gate of the town of Calais, by the hands of the king's custumers at the gate of the said town of Calais commonly called "Launternegate," or of the treasurer of Calais, whichever shall be agreeable to the said William Rosse. 1 March. P. S. No. 790.

8 March. Grant to William Stonor, knt., of the custody of the manor or lordship of Croslowe, co. Bucks., with all things pertaining thereto, from Easter next, for 12 years, at a yearly rent of 40*l.* Orig. m. 28.

8 March. Grant, for life, to Edmund Weston, esquire for the king's body (in consideration of various services, in which he has expended large sums of money), of the office of captain, keeper, and governor of the island of Guernesey and the castle of Cornet, and of the other islands and places in those parts, viz., Aulreney, Serke, Erme, and Sethowe; also of all castles and fortalices in the said islands and places belonging to the king. Further grant to meet the expenses of executing the said office, de-

1 Hen. VII. fending the said islands, &c., of all the manors, lordships, lands, &c. belonging to the king therein, and of all the customs, profits, &c. belonging to the king therein. Further grant that the said Edmund may make all appointments of officers, &c. P. S. No. 791. 1486.

De licentia pro Michaele de Sepprello et aliis. 8 March.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod cum quædam subsidia per communitates regni nostri Angliæ in Parliamento nostro tento apud Westmonasterium septimo die Novembris anno regni nostri primo, videlicet quoddam subsidium vocatum tonage percipiendum modo et forma subsequenti, videlicet, tres solidos de quolibet dolio vini veniente in regnum nostrum prædictum, et de quolibet dolio vini dulcis veniente in idem regnum per aliquem mercatorem alienigenam, tam per mercatores Hansæ et Alemanniæ quam aliquos alios mercatores alienigenas, tres solidos ultra prædictos tres solidos, ac etiam quoddam aliud subsidium vocatum poundage, videlicet, de omnimodis mercandisis cujuslibet mercatoris indigenæ et alienigenæ, tam mercatorum Hansæ et Alemanniæ quam cujuslibet alterius mercatoris alienigenæ, cariatis extra regnum prædictum seu in idem regnum adductis, per viam mercandisæ, valoris viginti solidorum, duodecim denarios (excepto stanno, unde mercatores extranei solvere teneantur pro subsidio valoris viginti solidorum duos solidos, ac mercatores indigeni duodecim denarios): necnon quoddam aliud subsidium, videlicet, de quolibet mercatore indigena pro subsidio cujuslibet sacci lanarum triginta et tres solidos et quatuor denarios, et de quibuslibet ducentis et quadraginta pellibus lanutis triginta tres solidos et quatuor denarios, et de quolibet lasto corriorum sexaginta et sex solidos et octo denarios, et de quolibet mercatore extraneo, non nato nostro ligeo, tam de illis qui indigenæ facti sunt seu extunc facti forent per litteras nostras patentes, vel aliter, quam aliis mercatoribus extra-

1486. neis de quolibet sacco lanæ sexaginta et sex solidos et octo denarios, et de quibuslibet ducentis et quadraginta lanutis pellibus sexaginta et sex solidos et octo denarios, et de quolibet lasto coriorum sexaginta et tresdecim solidos et quatuor denarios, exeuntibus extra dictum regnum nostrum, prout in concessione illa plenius continetur. Ac cum per communitatem regni Henrici Sexti nuper regis Angliæ, progenitoris nostri, in Parliamento suo tento apud Redyng anno regni sui tricesimo primo, quoddam aliud subsidium, videlicet, de qualibet persona non nata infra dictum regnum, terras Hiberniæ et Walliæ, populo nato infra ducatus Aquitanniæ, Vasconiæ, et Normanniæ, existente, et quæ tunc existerent sub obedientia sua, excepto, hospitium tenente infra regnum prædictum, sexdecim denarios, et de qualibet persona non nata infra dictum regnum, terras, ducatus, et insulas, nec sub obedientia sua existente infra dictum regnum, et non tenente hospicium infra idem, sex denarios; et de qualibet persona vocata Venician', Esterlyng, Italian', Januay, Florentyne, Miloner, Lucan', Cateloner, Alberteyne, Lumbard, Hansard et Pruser, existente, mercatoribus brokers seu factoribus, et eorum attornatis, non existentibus indigenis infra dictum regnum, et omnibus aliis mercatoribus extraneis natis extra dominia, ducatus et insulas supradicta, neque sub sua obedientia, et commorantibus infra regnum prædictum vel commoraturis, hospicium tenentibus infra idem, quadraginta solidos; et de qualibet persona vocata Venician', Esterling, Italian', Januay, Florentyne, Miloner, Lucan,' Catoloner, Albertayne, Lumbard, Hansard et Pruser, existente, mercatoribus brokers seu factoribus, et eorum attornatis, et omnibus aliis mercatoribus extraneis natis extra dicta dominia, ducatus et insulas, commorantibus, spectantibus, applicantibus vel resorcientibus per spatium sex septimanarum infra dictum regnum, et non tenentibus hospicium infra idem, set hospitantibus in 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. aliquo loco sub obedientia illius progenitoris nostri cum dictis mercatoribus extraneis, brokers, seu factoribus, vel cum aliquo subditorum dicti progenitoris nostri, viginti solidos; et de qualibet persona vocata Venician', Esterlyng, Italyan', Januay, Florentyne, Miloner, Lucan', Catoloner, Albertyne, Lumbard, Hansard, et Prucer, et aliis extraneis mercatoribus, brokers, seu factoribus, natis extra dominia, ducatus et insulas prædicta, per litteras regias patentes aut aliter indigenis factis, vel extunc fiendis, infra dictum regnum Angliæ, decem marcæ, levandæ et solvendæ ad festa Paschæ et Sancti Michaelis per æquales portiones, et sic annuatim de quolibet eorum extunc ad festa prædicta, concessæ fuerint, et nobis juxta concessionem prædictam debitæ existant, prout in quodam actu inde auctoritate Parliamenti prædicti dicto anno tricesimo primo facto plenius continetur. Nos, ad humilem supplicationem Jeronimi Tiepolo de Venes', Michaelis de Cepacello,[1] et Marci Strozzi de Florencia, ac Thomæ Euimgi[2] de Luca, mercatorum, gratiam nostram in hac parte exhibere volentes, concessimus eis per præsentes quod ipsi ac factores et attornati sui, ac custodes pacis nostræ, necnon singuli vicecomites et ministri nostri pro tempore existentes in omnibus et singulis civitatibus, villis et comitatubus regni nostri Angliæ, de prædictis subsidiis dicto anno tricesimo primo concessis, et eorum quolibet, pro personis eorundem mercatorum factorum et attornatorum suorum, et eorum cujuslibet, a die datus præsentium usque vicesimum quartum diem Junii extunc proximo futurum, et pro toto termino illo, erga nos et hæredes nostros exonerentur et acquietentur, nec quicquam de eisdem mercatoribus sive eorum aliquo de aut pro subsidio illo ad opus nostrum sive hæredum nostrorum levetur 1486.

[1] Ceparello in P. S.

[2] Gumigi in P. S.

1486. et exigatur. Et insuper volumus et concedimus eisdem Jeronimo, Michaeli, Marco et Thomæ quod nec ipsi, nec eorum aliquis, aliquos plures denarios de aut pro subsidio lanarum, pellium lanutarum, et aliarum mercandisarum prædictarum valoris viginti solidorum, nobis dicto anno primo concesso, prædicto termino ut superius durante, quam quadraginta et tres solidos et quatuor denarios tantum pro subsidio alicujus sacci lanæ ipsorum, sive eorum alicujus, et decem solidos tantum pro custuma alicujus sacci lanæ ipsorum, sive eorum alicujus, qui attingunt in toto pro subsidio et custuma alicujus sacci lanæ quinquaginta et tres solidos et quatuor denarios, ac quadraginta et tres solidos et quatuor denarios pro subsidio aliquarum ducentarum et quadraginta pellium lanutarum suarum, sive eorum alicujus, et decem solidos tantum pro custuma aliquarum ducentarum et quadraginta pellium lanutarum suarum, sive eorum alicujus, qui attingunt in toto pro custuma et subsidio aliquarum ducentarum et quadraginta pellium lanutarum quinquaginta et tres solidos et quatuor denarios, necnon duodecim denarios pro subsidio stanni valoris viginti solidorum, de mercandisis suis sive eorum alicujus, et tres denarios tantum pro custuma stanni valoris viginti solidorum, de mercandisis suis sive eorum alicujus, qui attingunt in toto pro custuma et subsidio stanni valoris viginti solidorum quindecim denarios, extra regnum nostrum prædictum exeuntium aut in idem regnum venientium, quovismodo infra terminum illum nobis aut hæredibus nostris aut collectoribus seu custumariis nostris aut aliis officiariis seu ministris nostris quibuscumque solvant aut solvere teneantur, et quod ipsi mercatores de omnibus aliis denarii summis de aut pro subsidio [et] custuma illis, sive eorum aliquo, pro hujusmodi lanis, pellibus lanutis et stanno nobis quovismodo solvendis, erga nos et hæredes nostros exonerentur et acquietentur, et eorum quilibet, necnon prædicti collec- 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. tores custumarii officiarii et ministri nostri, et quilibet [eorum], de omnibus eisdem aliis denariorum summis de aut pro subsidio et custuma illis, sive eorum aliquo, pro hujusmodi lanis, pellibus lanutis, et stanno erga nos et hæredes nostros similiter exonerentur et acquietentur, dictis concessionibus sive earum aliqua, aut aliquo statuto, actu, ordinatione, restrictione, sive appunctuamento ante hæc tempora facto sive proviso, aut aliqua alia materia quacumque non obstante. Acetiam sciatis quod nos de uberiori gratia nostra speciali concessimus ac præsentium litterarum nostrarum tenore concedimus supradictis Jeronimo, Michaeli, Marco et Thomæ, et eorum cuilibet, quod ipsi et quilibet eorum, supradicto termino durante, possint et valeant quascumque quantitates lanarum suarum, et cujuslibet eorum, berdare, claccare et mundare; ipsasque lanas sic berdatas, claccatas et mundatas, et quamlibet inde parcellam, in quocumque portu sive quibuscumque portubus hujus regni nostri, quotiens sibi placuerit, in et super quibuscumque galeis, carracis seu aliis navibus eskippare, et extra idem regnum ad quascumque partes exteras ultramontana per strictus de Marrok cariare et traduci facere, licite et impune. Aliquo actu, provisione vel ordinatione in contrarium facto sive proviso, aut faciendo seu providendo, non obstante. In cujus rei, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium viii. die Martii. 1486.

Per brevẽ de privato sigillo et de data prædicta, &c.

Grant to Robert Willughby, knight of the king's body, of the custody of the possessions late belonging to William Leversegge, esq., who held of the king in capite, during the minority of Edmund, his son and heir; grant also of the wardship and marriage of the said Edmund. Clause for continuing the custody, &c. until an heir shall attain majority, in the event of the present heir dying a minor. 3 March. P. S. No. 792. Del. 7 March. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21). 8 March.

1486. 8 March. Grant, for life, to Robert Walker, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day as his fee of the Crown. 6 March. P. S. No. 793. Pat. p. 3. m. 23 (5). 1 Hen. VII.

8 March. Licence to William Thikepeny of Plymouth, or his factors, to purchase 1,200 pieces of tin in England, and to export the same out of the ports of Plymouth and Fowey, and the ports, places, and creeks adjoining thereto, (in one or more ships, and at one or more times,) to foreign parts, paying the customs and duties thereupon due. 6 March. P. S. No. 794.

8 March. Letters of protection, for one year, to John Weney, alias Wende, alias Wenday, citizen and mercer, or merchant of London, who is going upon the king's service in the company of William Rosse, esq., victualler of the town and castle of Calais, and the marches of the same, to make stay there, touching the safe keeping and victualling of the town, castle, and marches aforesaid. Fr. m. 5. 11.

9 March. Jasper, duke of Bedford, earl of Pembroke, and chief steward of the duchy of Lancaster, in South Wales, William, earl of Nottingham, and John, earl of Salop, Reginald, Lord de Wilton, Sir Richard Croft, Sir Edmund Mountfort, Sir John Mortymer, Sir Thomas Fitzwilliam, Thomas Whytyngton, William Lewellyn, Thomas ap Morgan, Thomas Legon, and Hugh Huntly, are appointed justices in eyre within the lordships of Monmouth, Skenfrith, Grossemond, Whitcastel, and Ebboth. L. W., &c.

9 March. Henry, &c. To oure trusty and welbeloved Alexander Mathewson, late baily of the town and lordshipp of Wothersfeld, gretyng. We wol and charge you that al suche sommes of money as ye have received of oure said lordshipp, by reason of youre said office, due unto us for the yere ended at Mighelmas last past, ye immediately uppon the sight hereof ye content and paye unto oure trusty and welbeloved servaunt John Berdefeld, receivour of the same, orelles that ye personelly appere bifore oure chauncellor of oure said duchie and counsel of the same,

1 Hen. VII. at oure paloys of Westm., within xiiij. daies of Estur next commyng, ther to shewe why ye make delaye concerning oure right in the premissez, and over that straitly charge you that from hensforth ye no wise intremitt ferther with the said office, but suffre oure welbeloved John Tredway, whom we have ordeyned oure baily there by thes oure lettres, too enjoye the same; not failyng hereof as ye wol avoide our grevous displeasor, and eschewe the jeopardie that may ensue. Yeven, &c. the ix. daie of Marche, the furst year, &c. L. W., &c. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Master John Browne, one of the masters in Chancery, of the free chapel beside the town of Stafford called the Chapel of St. John, void, and in the gift of the Crown. 8 March. P. S. No. 795. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21). 9 March.

Grant to the king's beloved and faithful councillor, Reginald Bray, of the office of constable of the castle of Okeham, co. Rutland, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of the duke of Buckingham, with wages, &c., such as William, Lord of Hastynges, had whilst holding the same office. 23 Feb. P. S. No. 796. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21). 9 March.

Grant to Richard Danvers, the younger (in consideration of his having married Elizabeth, daughter and heir apparent of Richard Preston, and that he will look after the safety of the same Preston, and have consideration for his possessions with regard to their proper application for his support and the maintenance of Elizabeth, his daughter), and to Thomas Englefeld, of the custody of Richard Preston, an idiot, and of his property, and the income arising therefrom, from 21 Aug. last, as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown; without accompt; keeping up repairs, &c. S. B. No. 198. Pat. p. 4. m. 21 (4). 9 March.

Grant, for life, to Lord Duddeley, of an annuity of 100*l.* sterling. 8 March. P. S. No. 797. Pat. p. 3. m. 6 (22). 9 March.

1486. 9 March. General pardon to Gilbert Debenham, of the county of Suff. knt. (alias Debnam, alias Debynham), and of suit of the king's peace for treasons, &c. 8 March. P. S. No. 798. Pat. p. 4. m. 21 (4). 1 Hen. VII.

9 March. Grant, for life, to Richard Emson, of the office of steward of the lordships or manors of Longbukkeby and Estpury, and of the king's fee called Peverell's fee, co. Northampton. 7 March. P. S. No. 799. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21).

9 March. Grant to the most excellent princess the king's most dear consort, and John, bishop of Ely, of the right of presentation to the next canonry and prebend in the royal chapel of St. Stephen, within the palace of Westminster, which shall become void after the king, or some one by his grant, has presented to one canonry and prebend in the same chapel. S. B. No. 199. Pat. p. 2. m. 5 (21).

9 March. Annuity of 20*l.*, for life, to Thomas Gray, a knight for the king's body. 4 March. P. S. No. 800. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24).

9 March. Grant, in tail male, to Thomas Lovell, one of the esquires of the king's body, of the manor or lordship of Doglington, co. Oxford, of the yearly value of 46*l.* 9*s.* $2\frac{1}{2}d.$, of Barley Park adjoining thereto, and of the manor or lordship of Fringford, co. Oxford, of the yearly value of 110*s.* 3*d.*, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, Lord Lovell, who was attainted as a rebel by act of Parliament, 7 Nov., 1 Hen. VII.; to be held by the rents and services by which the same were held before the 22nd of August last. 4 March. P. S. No. 801. Pat. p. 1. m. 11 (25).

9 March. Grant, in tail male, to Charles de Somerset, knt., natural son of Henry, late duke of Somerset, of the lordships and manors of Tichemersh, Duston, Chelveston, and Caldecot, and all lands, tenements, rents, and services in Tichemersh, Duston, Chelveston, Caldecote, and Higham Ferrys, co. Northampton, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, late Viscount Lovell, by

1 Hen. VII. virtue of an act of the Parliament held at Westminster, 1 Hen. VII.; also the manors of Medelton [and] Colentre, and all lands and tenements in Medelton, Colyntre, and Tilbroke, co. Northampton, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Roger Wake, by virtue of an act of the same Parliament; also the manor of Til broke, co. Hunt., in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of William Catesby, by virtue of an act of the same Parliament, by all the services therefore anciently due. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 802. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25). 1486.

Licence, for one year, to William Martin, of the county of Dorset, to purchase, in the parts beyond the sea, 200 tuns of wine, and import the same into England in ships from foreign parts, and to sell and distribute the same at his pleasure; the customs, &c. to be duly paid. 8 March. P. S. No. 803. 9 March.

Grant, for life, to Richard Newton, of the office of one of the esquires for the king's body, with an annuity of 50 marks for the fee of the same. 24 Oct. P. S. No. 804. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18). 9 March.

Grant, for life, to John Whelar, one of the yeomen of the chamber, of the office of keeper of the keys of Windsor Castle. 8 March. P. S. No. 805. 9 March.

Henry, &c. To John Poole, squyer, gretyng. And wher as our noble progenitor, Edward the iiiith, late kyng of this our reame, bought and purchased, to hym and his heires, of your fadre, the manors of and lordshipps of Hertyngton and Shene, with th'appurtenaunces, in the countie of Derby, and astate to hym made, for the which, as we certeynly understond, he paied divers sommes of money, by reason wherof we be rightuoslye entitled therunto. We be infourmed that, contrary to our right in that behalf, ye have entred into our seid lordshippes and manoers, without auctorite, and have taken th'issues and profittes of theym, to our great displeasour; if it so be, wherfore we wol and straitly charge you, that, incontinent uppon the sight of thes our lettres, ye avoide you 10 March.

1486. utterly from the seid entre and possession of our seid lordship, manores, and that ye from hensforthe, by yourself, ne eny other in your name, in nowise entremit ne medil with theym, or any part or parcel theym oon, farmoers or tenauntes therof, but that ye suffre theym peasably to occupye and enjoye their goodes and catalles, and pay their rentes and dueties for us unto our trusty and welbeloved Sir Jamys Blount, whom we have ordeyned and assigned to have the oversight, rule, and guydyng of our seid lordshippes and manores, as of all our lordshippes, manores, landes, and tenementes of our honnour of Tutbury, for our moost profitt and availe; and over that streitly commaund, for your demeaynyng heretofor cuncernyng the premysses, and other your mysbehavyng towardes us at divers tymes in sendrywise, that ye appere personelly bifore our chancellour of our duchie of Lanc. and counsell of the same, at our paloys of Westm., in the moys of Estour next commyng, there and than to here and undirstand what shalbe shewed and laied anenst us in that behalf. Not failyng herof, as ye wol avoide our grevous displeasour, and es'chew the jeopardye that may ensue. Yeven, &c. the x. day of Marche, the furst yere, &c· L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

10 March. Lease, for seven years, to Sir Thomas Fitzwilliam, of the manor, &c. of Saltfletby, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Lincoln, at the annual rent of 20*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.*, and 20*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 140[b].

10 March. Grant, for life, to Antony Browne, of the office of standard bearer to the king, within the realm of England and elsewhere, with a salary of 40*l.* a year, at the receipt of the Exchequer. 6 March. P. S. No. 806. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11).

10 March. Grant to William Calton, chaplain, of the prebend of Morfell, in the collegiate church of St. Mary Magdalen of Bruggenorthe, void by the free resignation of Alexander Lye, clk., the last incumbent thereof, and in the

1 Hen. VII. gift of the Crown. S. B. No. 200. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11). 1486.

Writ to the dean in pursuance of the above.

Special pardon to John Don, knt., alias John Dun, knt., late sheriff of Beds. and Bucks., for all faults committed by him as sheriff, and all offences before the date hereof. S. B. No. 201. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18). 10 March.

Grant to Arthur Kemys of the wardship and marriage of John Kemys, son and heir of John Kemys, deceased, who held of the king in capite; also custody of the possessions late belonging to the said John; to hold the above during the minority of the said heir, and in the event of the present heir dying a minor, from heir to heir, until an heir shall have attained majority. 17 Feb. P. S. No. 807. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12). 10 March.

Grant to Thomas, archbishop of York, of the custody of the possessions late belonging to Richard Sayntegeorge, deceased, in the county of Cambridge (who held of the king by knight's service), during the minority of Thomas, son and heir of the said Richard, together with the wardship and marriage of the said heir; clause for continuance of the custody, &c. until an heir shall attain majority, in the event of the present heir dying a minor; grant also of all profits, &c. of the premises, on condition of the proper maintenance of the heir, keeping the premises in proper repair, &c. 8 March. P. S. No. 808. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (8). 10 March.

Grant, for term of his life, to Sir Thomas Fitzwilliam of London, for his advice to the king, of an annuity or annual rent of 10*l.* issuing out of the honor of Bolingbroke, in co. Lincoln, and from all manors, lands, and tenements within the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 132. 11 March.

Licence to the king's most dear uncle, Jasper, duke of Bedford, to appoint justices of oyer and terminer, &c. within the counties of Hereford, Gloucester, and Worcester, and the marches of Wales thereto adjoining, and also in South Wales, West Wales, and every county, 11 March.

1486. lordship, and commote within the same; also appoint- 1 Hen. VII.
ment to inquire into such offices within the said counties, marches, and Wales, as may be improperly filled, in order that the same may be taken into the hands of the Crown. The document commences in the following terms, addressed to the duke of Bedford :—Sciatis quod cum curæ nobis fuerit maximæ nostrorum hujus regni subditorum quieti providere, nihilque nobis sit acceptabilius quam [quod] justitia singulis nostris subditis debito ordine ministretur, proximitatem sanguinis quo nobis juncti fueritis considerantes, aliisque plurimis de causis nos moventibus, de gratia nostra speciali, concessimus vobis, etc. This document, amongst other provisions, authorizes the calling out the military, in the event of disturbances by the people at the punishment of offenders against the law, and the putting down tumults, &c. by armed force, &c. S. B. No. 202. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (10).

11 March. Grant to the king's most dear uncle, Jasper, duke of Bedford and earl of Pembroke, of the office of lieutenant of Ireland, for two years, and at the expiration of two years, during pleasure, in as full a manner as George, late duke of Clarence (by letters patent of Edw. IV.), held the same ; promotions to the dignities of archbishops and bishops, and to the offices of chancellor, treasurer, chief justice of the King's Bench, chief justice of the Common Pleas, and chief baron of the Exchequer, in Ireland, being reserved to the Crown. S. B. No. 203. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11).

11 March. Grant to Jacosa Duddeley, daughter of Edmund Duddeley, knt., John Stokis, and John Grene, of the custody of the manor or lordship of Benyngton, co. Herts., from Michaelmas last, for two years, at a yearly rent of 30*l.* Orig. m. 28.

12 March. Grant, in tail male, to John Duddeley, knt., Lord of Dudley (for 1,000 marks paid into the king's hands), of the manors of Northfeld and Weley, co. Worc. (in the fullest manner), late belonging to William Barkeley, knt.,

1 Hen. VII. of Weley, and forfeited to the king by an act of Parliament made in the Parliament holden 7 November last, which attainted the said William of high treason. 8 March. P. S. No. 809. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (10). 1486.

Creation of Giles Daubeney, knt., as Baron Daubeney, to him and the heirs male of his body issuing, for ever. The preamble to this creation is in the following words: —Cum enim præteritorum magnifica gesta principum, saltem qui suam industria atque virtute famam nobis reliquere immortalem, ad mentem revocemus, nil prudentius, nil vero laude dignius, pro prospero atque felici ipsorum statu, salute, securoque successu eos fecisse arbitramur, quam quando fideles diligentes strenuosque suos servientes facultatibus, regimine et honore condigne remunerare, cæterisque debite præferre, decreverint, sicque sua eis beneficia juxta eorum virtutes atque merita benigne conferre curarunt. Nos eorum mores imitantes, non solum sanguinis nobilitatem, industriam atque constantiam, immo probitatem, in armis strenuitatem cæterasque virtutes domini Egidii Daubeney militis, nostri intime dilecti consanguinei, non modica cum deliberatione mature considerantes, et quantis periculis nostra de causa in bellis et alias se libens exposuit, quæ etiam et quanta, nostri pro amore exul et a regno profuga, sustinuerit, quam itaque bonorum jacturam cæterasque innumeras calamitates, nostris pro juribus, nullis confractus adversis, constanter perpessus fuerit, præ nostris mentis oculis habentes ipsum dominum Egidium in baronem Parliamenti et regni nostri Angliæ, ex mero motu gratiaque nostris, ordinavimus, etc. P. S. No. 810. Chart. No. 21. 12 March.

Henry, &c. To [ ] gretyng. Forsomoch as John Harys, late of Radford, in our county of Devon, held of us certeyn landes and tenements by knightes service, and died in our homage, his heire beyng within age, whos custodie and marriage, and kepyng of the said landes, to us belong of righte; wherfor we wol and desire, and 12 March.

1486. nathelas straitly charge you, as hastyly as ye cann after the sight herof, ye endeavour yourself to sitte and enquere therupponn, accordyng to your office and duetie, for þt we be not diseived of our right and title therin to us belongyng, thorough your neclegens or defaut; settyng apart al affecion that ye bere to any othre persones, or lucre that by any shalbe offerd you, that myght move you to the contrary; and that ye geve credence and trust to our welbeloved servaunt John [ ] in that he shal shewyne you for our intrest in that behalf, as our singuler trust is in you, and as ye desire a special thank of us; and such office as shalbe founde bifore you ye do return bifore us in our court of Chauncere, as hastyly as ye may after the takyng herof; and what ye shal doo herin, that ye certifie our trusty and right welbeloved counselleur Sir Reginald Bray, knyght, chauncellour of our duchie of Lancaster, the xiith day of March, the first yere, &c. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

12 March. Licence to Francis Dupon, servant to the duke of Britany, that he, and, in case of his decease, that his heirs, executors, or occupiers of his goods may, by themselves or their factors, &c., native or foreign, import and export goods and merchandize, not being of the staple of Calais, into and out of the port of London, the customs and duties upon which shall not exceed the sum of 100*l.*, without payment of the customs due thereon. Indentures to be made from time to time between the customs officers and the said parties, showing the nature and amount of the goods and merchandize thus imported and exported. 10 March. P. S. No. 811.

12 March. Grant, in frankalmoign (at the request of the king's dearest mother, Margaret, countess of Richmond and Derby), to William, abbot, and the convent of the monastery of SS. Peter and Paul of Brunne, co. Linc., of the priory or manor of Willesford, co. Linc. (a cell and parcel of the possessions of the abbey of Beekehellewyn, in Normandy), and of all other possessions of the same abbey

1 Hen. VII. in England, quit and discharged from all claims whatsoever. 8 March. P. S. No. 812. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19). 1486.

Henry, &c. To our welbeloved Thomas Holbeche particler receivour and surveyour of our duchie of Lancaster in the counties of Norhampton, Bucks., Bedford, and Huntingdon, gretyng. Wheras the lordshippes of Sutton and Potton, parcel of the duchie in the seid countie of Bedford, and the lordshippes and manors of Bugby and Passenham, parcel of the seid duchie in the countie of Northampton, be come and resumed into our handes, by reasons of divers actes made in our Parliament late holden at Westminster. We therefore wol and charge you that, incontinent upon the sight of thes our lettres, ye do entre for us and in our name into our seid lordshippes, surveying the same for our moost profitt and availe, answheryng unto us herafter yerely al thissues, profittes, and revenues commyng and growyng of theym and every of theym. Yevyng also straightly in commaundment, by the vertue of this our warraunt, to al our officers, tenauntes, and subjecttes of our seid lordshippes and manors, to be unto you in executyng herof obedient, attendaunt, aydyng, and assistyng in al thynges as it apperteyneth; not failyng herof, as ye wol answer unto us at yor parell. Yeven, &c. at London the xiij. daie of March, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 13 March.

Grant, in tail male, to John Fortescu, one of the knights for the king's body, of the manors or lordships of Eyworth, co. Bedford, Morehall, co. Essex, and the third part of the manor of Trumpington, co. Cambridge, late belonging to Richard Charleton, knt.; also of the manors or lordships of Milton, Clevedon, co. Somerset, and Crowley, co. Bucks, late belonging to Roger Wake; also of the manor or lordship of Braunston, co. Northampton, late belonging to William Catesby, esq., deceased (in the fullest manner without accompt), forfeited to the king by an act of the Parliament held 7 Nov. last. Further grant of all issues, &c. of the said property from 13 March.

1486. 21 Aug. last. 8 March. P. S. No. 813. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21). 1 Hen. VII.

13 March. Grant, for life, to George Kene, of the offices of keeper of the manor of Plesaunce, in Estgrenewiche, co. Kent, and of the small garden with an orchard there; of the great garden of the same manor, and of the park of Estgrenewiche with the tower there; with wages of 4*d.* a day as keeper of the manor, 3*d.* a day as keeper of the small garden with the orchard, 6*d.* a day as keeper of the great garden, and 3*d.* a day as keeper of the park and tower, out of the issues, &c. of the county of Kent, the wages to date from Michaelmas last. 10 March. P. S. No. 814. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (10).

15 March. Grant to Hugh Cotes of the office of auditor of the accounts of all the bailiffs and other ministers of the possessions late belonging to Thomas, Lord de Roos, in England, the issues, &c. whereof pertain to the king by virtue of an act of restitution to Edmund, son and heir of the said Thomas, Lord de Roos, made in the Parliament holden 7 November last; to hold as long as the same are in the hands of the Crown, with a salary of 10 marks a year, and expenses for himself and servants when executing the said office without the said possessions. 6 March. P. S. No. 815. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11).

15 March. Grant to Thomas Burgh and Henry Roos, knts., of office of surveyor and steward of all the possessions late belonging to Edmund, Lord de Roos, in England, and now in the hands of the Crown, as long as the same shall remain in the hands of the Crown, with 20*l.* for executing the said office, out of the said possessions. 7 March. P. S. No. 816. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11).

15 March. Grant, for life, to Robert Clifford, one of the esquires for the king's body, of the office of chamberlain of the town and port of Berwick upon Tweed, with emolu ments such as were heretofore enjoyed by Robert Roos, knt., and Henry Roos, esq., or other holders of the same office. 14 March. P. S. No. 817. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during pleasure, to John Truthall, esq., of the office of bailiff of the lordships or manors of Buttirwik, Friston, and Boston, of the western part of the water, co. Linc., with all wages, fees, &c. such as John Wall had. 8 March. P. S. No. 818. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (10). 1486. 15 March.

Grant to the king's most dear mother, Margaret, countess of Richmond, and Robert Morton, clk., keeper of the rolls of the Chancery, of the right of presentation to the next canonry and prebend which shall become void in the free chapel or collegiate church of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Saints George the Martyr and Edward the Confessor, within the castle of Wyndesore. S. B. No. 204. Pat. p. 3 m. 17 (11). 15 March.

Lease, for seven years, to John Berdesfeld, of the manor of Wykes; the park there, and the wardships, marriages, reliefs, escheats, forfeitures, and other casualties excepted and reserved to the king; rendering annually for the same, 28*l.* 10*s.* The said John to keep in repair, at his own cost, the edifices within the same manor. L. R. 170. 16 March.

General pardon to George Webster, late of Ely, co. Cambridge, worstedman, alias George Worstedwever, late of Ely, co. Camb., wever, for all offences before the date hereof. S. B. No. 205. 17 March.

Grant, for life, to John Faunt, of the office of ranger of the forests of Wabrigge and Sapley, co. Hunts. P. S. No. 819. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12). 17 March.

Bonds, from John Pykton, of the parish of St. Mary atte Bowe, London, merchant, and Ralph Potter, of the parish of St. Mary Magdalen, Milk Street, London, mercer, of 200 marks, and from Robert Strete, of London, gentleman, of 300 marks; the conditions of which are, that Robert Strete shall be from henceforth the king's faithful liege, and shall well and faithfully keep, for the profit and use of the king, the castle of Knokvergus, in 18 March.

1486. Ireland, after he shall have been put into his possession or custody thereof by any means whatsoever. Cl. No. 92. 1 Hen. VII.

19 March. Grant to John Baxster of the custody of the whole hundred of Fallesley, co. Northampton, and of the bailliage of the same hundred, from Michaelmas last, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 10*l.* 20*d.*, and an improved yearly rent of 2*s.* Orig. m. 17.

20 March. Inspeximus and confirmation to the prior and chapter, provincial, of Friars Preachers, of a patent, 30 Nov., 2 [Ric. III.],[1] inspecting and confirming a patent, 24 June, 2 Edw. IV. (p. 1. m. 9), inspecting and confirming a patent of 22 Feb., 8 Ric. II.,[2] which inspects and (to the intent that the said prior and chapter may pray for the good estate of the king, and of Anne his consort, while living, and may celebrate their anniversary, when dead,) confirms to them a patent of 3 April, 51 Edw. III. (m. 24), which granted to the prior and chapter, provincial, of the order of Friars Preachers in England, for ever, an annuity of 20*l.* to celebrate yearly the anniversary of Queen Philippa, deceased, in whatever place such anniversary might happen to be celebrated. Pat. p. 4. m. 4 (21).

20 March. Grant to John, bishop of Ely, and John, abbot of the monastery of Ramsey, and their successors, of a common and open market each Wednesday, and a common fair once a year on the day of SS. Peter and Paul, at Upwell, cos. Norfolk and Cambridge. P. S. No. 820. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13).

23 March. Grant to Thomas Huntley of the office of bailiff and feodary of the lordships of Huntley, Longhope, and Balley, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Gloucester; to

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[1] There is an omission here of the preamble, though the date "30 Nov., "2," is given. It is to be found on Confirmation Roll, 2 Ric. III., p. 2. No. 5.

[2] Inrolment not found. This Patent of Ric. II. was also confirmed by a Patent, 20 April, 1 Hen. VI. (p. 3. m. 15), although such confirmation is not noticed in the Patent of Edw. IV.

1 Hen. VII. hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 205. 1486.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to strike a tally at the receipt of the Exchequer for 20*l.*, forfeited to the king, to be levied upon the goods and chattels of Thomas Moyer, the elder, and Robert Shanbery, and to deliver the same unto Thomas Manley, servant unto the king's right trusty and well-beloved knight and councillor Sir William Chambrelaine, by way of reward. The cause of the forfeiture is explained in the recital thus:—"For as moche as oon "Thomas Moyer, of oure citie of Coventre, atte the last "generall serche made in January last passed, taken for "a vagabunde and suspecte persoune, was committed "therupon to the gaol of oure said citie, and then oute "of the same by the maymprise of Thomas Moyer, his "fadre, and Robert Shanbery, glovers, of the same oure "citie, bounden by recognisance unto us, before the "maire and justices of oure peax there, in the somme of "xx. li. sterlinges, paiable atte a certain daie now ex-"pired, was enlarged, undre condicion that atte the next "sessions there, by oure seide justices to be holden, "after the saide serche, the saide Thomas Moyer, the "yonger, shulbe fourthe commyng, and appiere in his "propre persone before the saide justices, to aunswere "unto suche thinges as then shulbe laide and objected "ayenst him, atte whiche sessions, soo by oure saide "justices holden atte Coventre aforesaide, the saide "Thomas Moyer, the yonger, made defaulte of his saide "appieraunce, by reason wherof the saide somme of "xx. li. is, by the maymprisers above named, unto us "forfaited. P. S. No. 821. 23 March.

Grant, for life, to John Almer, yeoman of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day as his fee of the Crown. 2 March. P. S. No. 822. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11). 23 March.

Similar grant to William Almer, yeoman of the Crown. 2 March. P. S. No. 823. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11).

1486. 23 March. Grant, during pleasure, to Gilbert Huse, esq., of the offices of porter of the castle of Belvero, co. Linc., of keeper of the park and warren there, and of bailiff to the same castle. P. S. No. 824. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11). 1 Hen. VII.

25 March. Special protection and safeguard, for one year, to John Rede, of Dertmouth, maryner, his servants, factors, attornies, lands, tenements, rents, possessions, goods, and chattels. 22 March. P. S. No. 825. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12).

27 March. Special pardon to Thomas, earl of Surrey, otherwise called Thomas Howard, late of Asshewelthorp, co. Norf., knt., otherwise called Thomas Howard, late of Stoke, co. Suff., esq., with right reserved to the Crown to imprison him, during pleasure, in any prison which it may select. 8 March. P. S. No. 826. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12).

27 March. Innocentius episcopus, servus servorum Dei, ad perpetuam rei memoriam. Romanus Pontifex, in quo potestatis plenitudo consistit, inter curas multiplices, quibus rerum negotiorumque varietatibus continue premitur, ad ea ex debito pastoralis officii sibi commissi solicite intendere debet, per quæ inter catholicos principes eorumque vasallos et subditos pacis et quietis coadjuvante Domino conservetur amœnitas, et quæ hiis contraria sunt ac scandala producunt per suæ vigilantiæ studium radicitus extirpentur, prout, personarum, locorum et temporum qualitate pensata, id in Domino conspicit salubriter expedire. Nuper siquidem pro parte carissimi in Christo filii nostri Henrici Septimi Angliæ regis illustris et dilectæ in Christo filiæ nobilis mulieris Elizabethæ claræ memoriæ Edwardi Quarti dicti regni olim regis primogenitæ, nobis exposito quod ipsi, ad submovendum contentiones quæ de regno ipso fuerant inter eorum prædecessores de Lancastria, de qua Henricus ipse rex, et Eboracensis, inclitis domibus et familiis dicti regni, de qua Elizabet, præfati originem trahebant, quarum occasione in regno ipso gravia scan-

1 Hen. VII. dala retroactis temporibus exorta fuerant, desiderabant invicem matrimonium contrahere; sed quia quarto et quarto consanguinitatis et forsan affinitatis gradibus invicem conjuncti erant, eorum desiderium hujusmodi in ea parte adimplere non poterant dispensatione apostolica desuper non obtenta. Nos, tunc cupientes perpetuæ tranquillitati paci et quieti dicti regni quemadmodum decet pium et communem patrem et pastorem omnium Christianorum, providere, ac discordiis quæ in eo regno diu inter descendentes ex domibus prædictis, cum maximo ipsius regni detrimento, viguerant finem imponere, illudque futuris dissentionibus occurrendo pacatum et quietum perpetuis temporibus reddere, ac christiani sanguinis effusionem evitare, cum eisdem Henrico rege et Elizabetha ut, hujusmodi consanguinitatis et forsan affinitatis impedimentis non obstantibus, matrimonium inter se contrahere, et in eo postquam contractum foret remanere libere et licite possent, per alias litteras nostras gratiose dispensavimus, suscipiendam ex hujusmodi matrimonio prolem legitimam nuntiando. Cum autem, sicut accepimus, Henricus rex præfatus, quanquam non modo jure belli ac notorio et indubitato proximo successionis titulo, verum etiam omnium prælatorum, procerum, magnatum, nobilium, totiusque ejusdem regni Angliæ plebis electione et voto necnon decreto statuto et ordinatione ipsius Angliæ regni trium statuum in ipsorum conventu, Parliamento nuncupato, propter hoc publice et generaliter celebrato, jus ipsius regni Angliæ ad ipsum Henricum Septimum Angliæ regem suosque hæredes suo ex corpore procreandos indubitanter de jure pertineret eidemque delatum foret; ad omnes tamen discordias et dissentiones, quæ olim inter illustres Lancastriæ et Eboracensem domos prædictas viguerant tollendas atque imperpetuum abolendas, ac pro firma et perpetua pace in eodem regno observanda, ad præcipuam et specialem ipsorum trium statuum dicti regni requisitionem, assenserit eandem 1486.

1486. Elizabetham principissam, immortalis famæ regis Edwardi præfati primogenitam et veram hæredem, ducere habereque in uxorem, dummodo primitus a nobis oportuna dispensatio super impedimentis prædictis obtineretur; nos qui una cum venerabilibus fratribus nostris Sanctæ Romanæ ecclesiæ cardinalibus omnia et singula supradicta paterna caritate considerantes, non solum super matrimonio hujusmodi inter Henricum regem et Elizabetham, principissam præfatos ut præfertur contrahendo, ex causis supradictis, per dictas nostras literas, dispensavimus, sed etiam prolem suscipiendam ex eo ad succedendum eisdem regi et Elizabethæ legitimam nuntiavimus, prout in ipsius dispensationis litteris plenius continetur, motu proprio, non ad Henrici regis aut Elizabethæ prædictorum aut alterius pro nobis super hoc oblatæ petitionis instantiam, sed de nostra mera liberalitate et ex certa nostra scientia hujusmodi dispensationem necnon matrimonium illius vigore prædictæ contrahendum, seu cujusvis alterius dispensationis desuper a sede apostolica vel illius pœnitentiaria aut legatis sive nunciis, ad id facultatem ab eadem sede habentibus, forsan obtentæ, pro tempore contractum, quarum quidem litterarum nostrarum et aliarum prædictarum dispensationum tenores præsentibus, acsi de verbo ad verbum insererentur, habere volumus pro expressis, legitimamque liberorum successionem, ac etiam declarationem pronuntiationem et decretum Parliamenti tam super titulo ipsius Henrici regis quam super successione liberorum ac hæredum suorum, necnon omnia alia et singula præmissa auctoritate apostolica præsentium tenore confirmamus et approbamus, ac robur perpetuæ et inviolabilis vere firmitatis obtinere eadem auctoritate pronuntiamus, decernimus atque declaramus; supplemusque omnes et singulos defectus tàm juris quàm facti, si qui forsan intervenerint in eisdem aut aliquo præmissorum. Monemusque et requirimus, motu, scientia, et auctoritate prædictis, omnes et singulos dicti 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. regni incolas, et ejusdem Henrici regis subditos, cujuscumque gradus status, seu conditionis existant, etiam si ducali vel majori dignitate præfulgeant, eisque et cuilibet eorum districte præcipiendo inhibemus ne ipsi aut aliquis eorum novos tumultus, occasione juris succedendi hujusmodi vel quocumque quovis quæsito colore, aut quacumque alia causa, in eodem regno per se vel alium seu alios movere seu moveri facere, dispensationi, declarationi, et decreto hujusmodi, aut paci tranquillitative ipsius Angliæ regni contraveniendo quovismodo præsumant sub excommunicationis et majoris anathematis pœna; quam omnes et singuli hujusmodi tumultus novos excitantes vel excitari facientes atque pacem et regni præfati tranquillitatem posthac nequiter perturbantes aut prædictis contravenientes exnunc prout extunc et extunc prout exnunc (cujuscunque, ut præfertur dignitatis, status, gradus, seu conditionis existant, etiam si ducali aut majori præfulgeant dignitate) eo ipso incurrant, eosque incurrere et illius vinculo innodatos et involutos ipso facto esse eisdem motu scientia et auctoritate volumus, statuimus, decernimus atque declaramus; a quo quidem excommunicationis et anathematis vinculo ab alio quam sede apostolica præfata, aut cui ipsa sedes id specialiter et specifice commiserit, præterquam in mortis articulo constituti, nequeant absolutionis beneficium obtinere. Et si (quod Deus avertat) contingat ipsam Elizabetham, prole ex dicto Henrico rege non suscepta, vel suscepta non tamen tunc superstite, decedere ante ipsum regem, eo casu prolem ex ipso rege Henrico et alia quacunque ejus legitima uxore ab eo superducenda, in omni jure hæreditario regni hujusmodi juxta antedictum ipsius Parliamenti decretum et hujusmodi nostrum, illius approbationem, et confirmationem super hujusmodi decreto et aliis prædictis, ut præmittitur, factam, succedere debere similibus, motu, scienta et auctoritate etiam decernimus et declaramus, et ne, in hujusmodi eventum, quispiam 1486.

1486. prolis præfatæ successionem hujusmodi, quovis quæsito colore, impedire, aut (ad) impediendum novos tumultus in eodem regno per se vel alios excitare vel excitari facere vel procurare præsumat, sub præfatis censuris et pœnis, quas omnes et singuli novos tumultus, ut præfertur, ex quacumque causa in contrarium excitantes aut excitari facientes, eo ipso incurrant, et a quibus ab alio quam sede prædicta, et cui sedes ipsa id specialiter commiserit, absolvi nequeant, præterquam in mortis articulo constituti, pari motu scientia et auctoritate prohibemus. Et quoscunque, tam principes exteros quam dicti regni incolas, præstantes opem et succursum eidem Henrico regi, ejusve descendentibus in eodem regno successoribus Angliæ regibus, contra eorum rebelles aut aliqua contra præmissa quovis pacto molientes eisdem motu scientia et auctoritate benedicimus, et illis, quos sic faciendo in tam justa causa decedere continget, plenariam omnium suorum peccatorum indulgentiam et remissionem elargimur; et nichilominus universis et singulis episcopis, monasteriorum abbatibus, metropolitanis et aliarum cathedralium et collegiatarum decanis, archidiaconis, canonicis, parrochialiumque et aliarum ecclesiarum rectoribus sive vicariis perpetuis, priorатuum et domorum cujusvis etiam mendicantium ordinum prioribus et guardianis, et quibuscunque aliis ecclesiasticis personis exemptis et non exemptis, similibus motu scientia et auctoritate sub interdicti ingressus ecclesiæ in episcopos et superiores, ac excommunicationis latæ sententiæ pœna in inferiores ab eis, eo ipso per eos si non paruerint incurrenda; mandamus quatinus ipsi et quilibet eorum, cum pro parte præfati Henrici regis hæredum et successorum suorum hujusmodi quorumcumque fuerint desuper requisiti; contravenientes hujusmodi et novos tumultus excitantes in ecclesiis suis et aliis locis publicis, inter missarum et aliorum divinorum officiorum solemnia, necnon aliis temporibus congruis, totiens 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen.VII. quotiens requisiti fuerint, excommunicatos, et anathematizatos esse et hujusmodi sententias et censuras incurrisse publice nuntient, faciantque ab aliis nunciari, et ab omnibus arctius evitari, ac, legitimis super hiis habendis servatis processibus, censuras et pœnas hujusmodi iteratis vicibus aggravent, contradictores quoslibet et rebelles per censuram ecclesiasticam et alia juris remedia, appellatione, postposita, compescendo, invocato ad hoc si opus fuerit auxilio brachii secularis; non obstantibus constitutionibus et ordinationibus apostolicis concessis quoque per nos et sedem præfatam privilegiis et litteris apostolicis, quibus illa etiam si de eis eorumque totis tenoribus, seu quævis alia expressio habenda esset, et in eis caveretur expresse quod illis non intelligeretur unquam derogatum, nisi dum et quotiens sub certis inibi expressis modo et forma contingeret derogari præsentibus, pro expressis et insertis habentes quoad præmissa specialiter et expresse derogamus contrariis quibuscunque, seu si eisdem episcopis, abbatibus, decanis, archidiaconis, rectoribus, vicariis perpetuis, prioribus, guardianis et aliis ecclesiasticis personis ac ducibus et aliis prædictis vel quibusvis communiter vel divisim a dicta sit sede indultum quod interdici, suspendi vel excommunicari non possint per litteras apostolicas, non facientes plenam et expressam ac de verbo ad verbum de indulto hujusmodi mentionem, et qualibet alia dictæ sedis indulgentia generali vel speciali cujuscunque tenoris existat, per quam præsentibus non expressam vel totaliter non insertam effectus earum impediri valeat quomodolibet vel differri, et de qua cujusque toto tenore habenda sit in nostris litteris mentio specialis. Nulli ergo omnino hominum liceat hanc paginam nostræ confirmationis, approbationis, pronuntiationis, constitutionis, declarationis, supletionis, monitionis, requisitionis, inhibitionis voluntatis, statuti, decreti, prohibitionis, benedictionis concessionis, mandati, et derogationis infringere, etc. 1486.

1486. Dat. Romæ apud Sanctum Petrum, anno Incarna- 1 Hen. VII.
tionis Dominicæ millesimo, quadringentesimo, octuagesimo sexto, sexto kal. Aprilis, pontificatus nostri anno secundo.

MAR.
Gratis de mandato domini nostri papæ.
JO. LAURENTIUS pro R.
HIE. BALBANUS.
L. DE MARCELLINIS.
Sub sigillo plumbeo a filis sericis flavi rubeique coloris pendente.
INNOCENTIUS PAPA VIII.

28 March. Exemption, for life, to William Huddesfeld from being compelled to take upon him the office, degree, or estate of a serjeant-at-law under any writ from the Crown, or other form of warrant. No fine, ransom, &c. to be paid hereupon. March 23. P. S. No. 827. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12).

31 March. Grant to Laurence Maderer of the office of forester of Hodelesden, within the forest of Rosyngdale, within the duchy of Lancaster, to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 24.

Receipts (under the heading of) Michaelmas, 1 Hen. VII.

London - -	From the farmers of the subsidy and ulnage of saleable cloths in the city of London and the suburbs thereof, of their farm, 15*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*
Kent - -	From the farmers or occupiers of the subsidy and ulnage of saleable cloths in the county of Kent, of their farm, 10*l.*
Suffolk - -	From the men of the town of Ipswich, of the fee-farm of their town, 7*l.*

1 Hen. VII.	A loan - -	From Thomas Bulkeley and John Crafford, as a loan, 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*	1486.
	Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, Hertford.	From John Malbourgh, receiver as well of certain farms and fee-farms of the king, as of divers lordships, lands, and tenements late belonging to certain rebels of the king, within the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, and Hertford, of the issues of his office, 20*l.*	
	The town of Bristol.	From the farmers or occupiers of the subsidy and ulnage of saleable cloths in the town of Bristol, of their farm, 8*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*	
	Norfolk - -	From John Plowright of Norton, near Fakenham, late one of the collectors of the subsidy upon persons not English by birth, granted to King Edward the Fourth, in the Parliament held in the 22nd year of his reign, in the county aforesaid, as a fine for a certain contempt by him committed, 40*d.*	
	Lincoln - -	From Brian Sandeford, receiver of the lordship of Castre, in the county of Lincoln, parcel of the Crown, of the issues of his office, 10*l.*	
	The town of Bristol.	From the farmers or occupiers of the subsidy and ulnage of saleable cloths in the town of Bristol, and the moiety of the forfeiture thereof, of the issues of the same, 6*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.*	
	Southampton -	From the citizens of Winchester, of the issues of their bailiwick, 20*l.*	
	Worcester -	From the citizens of Worcester, of the fee-farm of their town, 7*l.* 16*s.* 9*d.*	

1486.	Buckingham -	From Richard, son of John, of fee-farm of the manor of Aylesbury, 25*l.* Holbache, rec'.	1 Hen. VII.
	City of Norwich.	From William Curteis and John Ebbes, late sheriffs there, of fee-farm of the city of Norwich, 40*l.*	
	Kent, Surrey, Sussex.	From John Alfegh, receiver, &c. in the counties aforesaid, of the issues of his office, 20*l.* :—declared in the book of accomptants.	
	Devon, Cornwall, Somerset, Dorset, Southampton, Wilts.	From John Hayes, receiver as well of certain farms and fee-farms, as of divers lordships, lands, and tenements late belonging to certain rebels of the king, within the counties aforesaid, of the issues of his office, 100*l.*	
	Cambridge -	From William Newton and others, late bailiffs of the town of Cambridge, of the remainder of their accompt, 10*l.*	
	Cornwall -	From Walter Coplestone and Peter Carssewelle, late collectors of the customs and subsidies of the king in the ports of the towns of Plymmouth and Fowy, of the remainder of their accompt, 10*l.* 16*s.* 2½*d.*	
	Kent - -	From Thomas Iden, receiver of the lordships of Midelton and Merden and the hundreds thereof, of the issues of the same, 20*l.*	
	Kent - -	From the citizens of the city of Rochester, their heirs and successors, of the fee-farm of the city aforesaid, 6*l.*	
	Kent - -	From Geoffrey de Newenton of the farm of a messuage called le Croft, and other rents, 22*s.* 5½*d.*	
	Sussex - -	From John Elryngton, cofferer of the king's household, of farm of the manor	

1 Hen. VII. of Higham, otherwise called Hiham, 2*s.* 9½*d.* 1486.

Kent - - From John Alfegh, receiver as well of all the lordships, manors, farms, and fee-farms being in the hands of the king, by reason of the Crown, as otherwise, in the county of Kent, of the issues of the lordships of Milton and Merden, 100*s.*

Issues (under the heading of) Michaelmas, 1 Hen. VII.

To Richard Crofte, knt., treasurer of the king's household, receiving monies by the hands of Isabella Rawson and Margaret Fyssher, widows, for three tuns and a half of wine; viz., by the hands of the said Isabella Rawson for three pipes of red wine, each pipe at 66*s.* 8*d.*, 10*l.*; and by the hands of the said Margaret Fyssher for two tuns of claret wine, each tun at 6*l.*, 12*l.*; purchased from them for the expenses of the household aforesaid, 22*l.* 20 Jan.

To Thomas Twyseday, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, for his costs and expenses in riding, by the king's command, for the son and heir of John Gryffyn, of the county of Northampton, esq., deceased, belonging of right to our lord the king, by reason of the minority of the same heir, for eight days, taking each day 4*s.*; 32*s.* 26 Jan.

To Richard Crofte, knt., treasurer of the king's household, touching the expenses of the same household, by the hands of William Petite, 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* 28 Jan.

To Richard Herte, for parchment, by his own hands, 20*s.* 30 Jan.

To Richard Dolond, clerk of the works to the king, touching his office, by his own hands, 100*s.* 30 Jan.

To William Lynton, for the costs and expenses of divers officers of the receipt staying at Westminster to 30 Jan.

1486. breakfast by command of the lord treasurer, for cer- 1 Hen. VII.
tain matters touching the king and his convenience, by his own hands, 2*s.* 4*d.*

5 Feb. To Richard Crofte, knt., treasurer of the king's household, touching the expenses of the same household, by the hands of William Petite, 100*l.*

11 Feb. To Richard Crofte, knt., treasurer of the king's household, touching the expenses of the same household, by the hands of Laurence Werhan, cofferer, 40*l.*

17 Feb. To Richard Crofte, knt., treasurer of the king's household, touching the expenses of the same household, by the hands of William Petite, 46*l.*

23 Feb. To Richard Crofte, knt., treasurer of the king's household, touching the expenses of the same household, by the hands of William Petite, 100*l.*

2 March. To the same receiver (John Alfegh), as well for his payments, costs, and expenses, as for the diligence and labours of the said receiver which he has undergone in the collection and levying as well of the monies aforesaid as of divers other sums of money formerly by him received, levied from the issues of the said manors and other premises, and paid into the receipt of this Exchequer, as a special reward, by command of the treasurer, by his own hands, 10*l.*

Memorandum for issue thereof to be had. } In the hands of Alvered Cornburgh, esq., under-treasurer, 2 March, 8*l.* Memorandum, to speak to the same under-treasurer for issue thereof to be had, &c.

4 March. To Peter Warton, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, in part payment of his fee of the office aforesaid, by a writ of the king of this term, by his own hands, 3*l.* 14*s.*

8 March. In the hands of Alvered Cornburgh, esq., under-treasurer, 8 March. Memorandum, to speak to the same under-treasurer for issue thereof to be had, &c.

30 March. To John Asshewelle, clk., on the behalf of Richard Gylford, knt., one of the chamberlains within the receipt,

1 Hen. VII. in part payment of 100*s.* for his livery for this term, 1486.
received in money from Alvered Cornburgh, by his own hands, 40*s.*

To Thomas Stokes, one of the tellers, touching his fee 31 March.
and reward for this term, by his own hands, 10*l.*

To Thomas, archbishop of York, treasurer of England touching his diets, received in money by the hands of the aforesaid Thomas Stokes, 50*s.*

Writs under the Great Seal, Easter Term, 1 Hen. VII.

To Richard Newton, esq., at 40 marks a year, for term of his life.

To Thomas Gray, knt., at 20*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To Master Thomas Medfeld, clk., at 10*l.* a year until he shall have a benefice, &c.

To Alice Hervy, at 40*s.* a year, for term of her life.

To Robert Walker, one of the yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To John Amyas, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To John Brereton, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Thomas Bayen, under-clerk of the Parliament, at 100*s.*, during the king's pleasure.

To Richard Guldeford, knt., the king's master of the ordnance, at 2*s.* a day, for term of life.

To Antony Browne, the king's standard bearer, at 40*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To the guardian and convent of Friars Minors of Oxford, at 50 marks a year, during the king's pleasure.

To Henry Ley, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Rouge Dragon, at 10*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To John Jakson, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

1486. To John Asteley, at 60*l.* a year, for term of his life. 1 Hen. VII.

To John Wattys, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To John Forde, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To John Almer, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To William Almer, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Robert Spawldyng, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, according to the form and effect of a provision, &c.

To the prior and convent of the Friars Preachers of Cambridge, at 25 marks a year, during the king's pleasure.

To Richard Pole, at 50 marks a year, for term of his life.

To Robert Spaldyng, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, at the wages to the same office due.

To John Flygh, yeoman of the king's wardrobe, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Roger Machado, chief herald to the king of arms, at 20*l.*, for term of his life.

To Thomas Twysday, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To the prior and chapter, provincial, of the order of Friars Preachers, at 20*l.* a year.

To Henry Walker, one of the king's yeoman of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Henry Aynesworth, doctor of laws, secondary in the office of the Privy Seal, at 40*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To Thomas Lovell, esquire for the king's body, at 54*s.* a year, for term of his life.

To Vincencio Tutolez, armourer, at 20*l.* a year, for term of his life.

1 Hen. VII. To Thomas Bevercotys, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life. 1486.

To William Knyght, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Richard Rake, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To the provision, by authority of Parliament, of John Bakes.

To John Bakes, maker of cloths "d'arras," at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Thomas Caldewell, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To John Wode, esq., at 20*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To John Stanshawe, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, at 6*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To William Denton, one of the king's carvers, at 40*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To Thomas Atkyns, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To the guardian, brethren, &c. of St. Katherine's, at 13*s.* 4*d.* a year for a piece of land.

To Milo Childe, one of the messengers of the Exchequer, at 4½*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To David Philip, esquire for the king's body, at 50 marks a year, for term of his life.

To William Tyler, knt., keeper of the king's jewels, at 50*l.* a year, at the king's pleasure.

To John Heyroun and John Fogge, keepers of the king's writs, at 10 marks a year, for term of life.

To John Pyrry, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To Benedict Frutze, one of the physicians, at 40*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To Andrew Dymmok, the king's solicitor-general, at 10*l.* a year, during good behaviour.

To John Trasillion, at 20*l.* a year, for term of his life.

To Billesby, for livery.

1486. To Hugh Peshale, at 20*l.* a year, for term of his life. 1 Hen. VII.

To John, earl of Oxford, for keeping the lions and lionesses, at 12*d.* a day, for term of his life.

To John Water, alias York herald, at 20 marks a year, for term of his life.

To Thomas Whiting, alias Chestre herald, at 20 marks a year, for term of his life.

To the hospital of St. Giles without London, at 60*s.* a year.

To John Bakes, maker and mender of cloths "d'arras" to the king, at 4*d.* a year, for term of his life.

To Lord Dudley, for term of his life, 100*l.*

Writs under the Privy Seal, Easter Term, 1 Hen. VII.

To Reginald Bray for 12 yards of black velvet, &c.

To Thomas Manley, as a reward, 20*l.* by assessment upon himself, because he came not before the justices at a certain day appointed to him.

To Windesore herald, as a reward, 20 marks.

To the countess of Richemond, as a reward, one goblet with a cover of gold.

To Thomas Markynfeld, knt., sheriff of York, as a reward, 170*l.*

To Thomas Lytley, for repairs of le Cold Harburgh, 96*l.* 18*s.* 8*d.*

To John Spynell, one of the king's yeomen of the Crown, as a reward, 6*l.* 15*s.* 4*d.*

To Alvered Cornburgh, for divers things needful, specified in a certain schedule annexed.

To the treasurer of the Exchequer, at 20*s.* a day, as a reward.

To Bartholomew Reed, for divers jewels, 106*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

To William Smyth, for divers things needful, 27*l.* 18*s.* 6*d.*

To John Darys, proctor and attorney of the county of Byskey, as a reward, 40*l.*

To Peter Casa Nano, marshall of le trumpettes, for banners, 20*l.*

I Hen. VII. To our lady the queen 10 verges of crymesyn velvet, &c. 1486.

To Richard Guldeford, as a reward, 50 marks by assessment levied upon Thomas Gate.

To Alexander Masone and others, as a reward, 80 marks.

To Peter de Champaigne, as a reward, 20 marks.

To Master William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper, 400*l.*

To Thomas Guydetty, for divers cloths, 200 marks.

To Henry Rousselyne, for 14 dozens of skins, 14*l.*

To John Piknam, pothecary, for divers things needful, 11*l.*

To Thomas Penyngton, for the exercise of his office of serjeant-at-arms, 7*l.* 6*s.* 5*d.*

To William Purdaunce, for certain velvets, 22*l.* 9*s.* 8*d.*

To William Forster, canon of the church of St. Paul's, London, for three horses, 11*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To William Sclefeld, knt., as a reward, 20*l.*

To Otowin Boteler, as a reward, 15*l.*

To John Flygh, for divers things needful purchased for our lord the king, 60*s.*

To Maorucius Martyne, for the safe keeping of the ships, 10 marks.

To John Redyng, avener, for the expenses of le palfrais, 50*l.*

To Marques Jaket and William Older, ministralles, as a reward, 100*s.*

To Fawconer, pursevaunt, as a reward, 100*s.*

To Antony Gyle, for divers stuffs, 15*l.*

To Richard Guldeford, master armourer, for repair of le justes, 16*l.* 19*s.* 10*d.*

To Roger Cotton, knt., for the purchase of divers things needful for our lady the queen, 100 marks.

To Richard Burton, sheriff of Northampton, as a reward, 50*l.*

To Gilbert Talbot, knt., sheriff of Salop, as a reward, 100*l.*

1486. 1 April. Letters of protection, for one year, for Nicholas Smythe of London, fishmonger, alias of London, merchant, alias of Shalden, co. Kent, husbandman, who is going upon the king's service in the company of Thomas Thwaytes, knt., treasurer of the town and marches of Calais, there to make stay, touching the safe keeping and victualling of the town and marches aforesaid. Fr. m. (5) 11. 1 Hen. VII.

1 April. Grant, for life, to Elizabeth, duchess of Norfolk (in consideration of her faithful allegiance), of the manors or lordships of Framlyngham, Parva Hanworth, Southfeld, Loddon, Lopham, and Fornecett, with the knights courts of Fornecett and Loddon, co. Norfolk, and the knights fees, advowsons of churches, chapels, &c. belonging thereto, at a yearly rent of 200 marks. 3 March. P. S. No. 828. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24).

2 April. General pardon to Thomas Vaghan, knt., alias Thomas ap Roger, knt., alias Thomas ap Rossell, knt.

Like pardon to Walter Vaghan, esq., alias Walter ap Roger, esq., alias Walter ap Rossell, esq.

Like pardon to Roger Vaghan, gentleman, alias Roger ap Roger, gent., alias Roger ap Rossell, gent. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (10).

3 April. Licence, for one year, to Thomas Grafton and William Shore, merchants of the city of London, to freight two English ships, of 400 tons burden, with merchandize (not of the staple of Calais), and convey the same to the land of Island, and there take in cargo and bring the same into England, travelling backwards and forwards between the two countries as often as they may choose during the period limited by this licence:—notwithstanding the statute 8 Hen. VI., which prohibits the king's lawful subjects from visiting the territories of the king of Dacia, Norwegia, and Swegia for the sake of getting fish or other goods or merchandize, except at the staple of Norbare, under pain of forfeiture of all

1 Hen. VII. their moveable goods and imprisonment of their persons during the king's pleasure. 2 April. P. S. No. 829. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Sir Thomas Tempest, knt., of the office of steward of the lordship of Thorneton in Craven, co. York. 2 April. P. S. No. 830. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12). 3 April.

Grant, during pleasure, to Rogier Croket, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of bailiff of the town of Botesforth, co. Leic., with wages, &c. out of the lordship of Botesforth. 22 March. P. S. No. 831. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11). 3 April.

Grant, in tail male, to Robert Clifford, esquire for the king's body, of the manors or lordships of Stillingflete, Rynghowses, Upton, and Brian Askham, co. York (in the fullest manner), late belonging to Francis, late Lord Lovell, and forfeiture to the king by an act of forfeiture passed in the Parliament held on the 7th November last, by a yearly rent of 40 marks for all service. Further grant of all the issues, &c. of the said manors which have become due since Michaelmas last. 13 March. P. S. No. 832. 3 April.

Commission to the king's most dear cousin, Thomas earl of Derby, George, lord of Straunge, William Stanley, knt., the king's chamberlain, William Gryffyth, chamberlain of North Wales, Richard Harper, Andrew Dymmok, and John Luthyngton, to collect, in the counties of Chestre and Flynte and North Wales, a certain imposition called a myse, and the cognizance which the king's subjects there are bound by his royal prerogative to pay at his first entering upon the regal dignity of this realm, as well as all rents, farms, and debts due to the king in the said counties, and when collected to send the same, with all haste possible, to the king; also power to lease all possessions belonging to the Crown in those counties to the greatest advantage for the king; also to survey the repairs of all possessions belonging to the Crown there; also mandate to the king's 4 April.

1486. subjects in the said counties to obey the said commissioners in all things. Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12). 1 Hen. VII.

4 April. Grant, for life, to Christopher Sandes, servant to the king's most dear mother (in consideration of good and true service), of the office of porter of the inner gate of the castle of Carlile, with wages of 4*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Penreth; also grant, for life, of the office of porter or keeper of all the gates of the town of Carlile, with the wages, &c. thereunto belonging. 1 April. P. S. No. 833. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18).

4 April. Grant, for life, to John Upcote, one of the yeomen of the Crown (in consideration of good and faithful service to the king in parts beyond the sea and in the king's last journey), of the office of keeper of the castle of Dyndagell, co. Cornwall, with all emoluments, &c., such as Thomas Clement and William Aubrey enjoyed in the same office, out of the issues of the manor of Dyndagell, payable yearly at the Exchequer of Lostwythyell, by the hands of the receiver-general of the duchy of Cornwall. 3 April. P. S. No. 834.

5 April. [1] Grant to Henry Colet, knt., his heirs and assigns, of free warren within the lordships or manors of Rydon, Congham, and Brundale, co. Norfolk, and in all lands and woods to the same lordships or manors belonging. Further grant of free warren within the manors of Weldon, Dene, and Stayneyerne, co. Northampton, and in all lands and woods in the county of Northampton, notwithstanding that the said lands and woods shall be within the metes and bounds of the king's chace of Rysyng, or of the forest of Rokkyngham. Further grant of

[1] Several portions of this Privy Seal are underscored, and one clause, viz. that touching view of frankpledge has the word vacatur marked over the first word of it; but it is difficult to say whether the grant was to be shorn of the portions so marked, as it is not found on the Patent Rolls for the year.

1 Hen. VII. view of frankpledge within the lordships or manors of Rydon, Congham, and Brundale aforesaid, and the vills and hamlets to the same belonging, co. Norf. 8 March. P. S. No. 835. 1486.

Pardon and release for John, bishop of Worcester, late chancellor of England, with regard to the goods and chattels late belonging to William Catesby (up to the sum of 1,000 marks) which were in the said bishop's hands, or of persons deputed by him, anterior to the 12th March last, and which ought to belong to the Crown through the forfeiture of the said Catesby, who was attainted of high treason by authority of the Parliament lately held at Westminster. Exemption also from all actions, suits, &c. touching the same. Grant also, in consideration of a sum of money paid beforehand to the king, of the above-mentioned goods and chattels to the said bishop and his executors for ever. No accompt to be rendered, nor anything else paid or done in the matter. S. B. No. 206. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24). 5 April.

Licence to John, bishop of Ely, and John, abbot of the monastery of Ramsey, to hold, for ever, a market every Wednesday, and fairs yearly on the days of St. Peter and St. Paul, at the town of Upwell, cos. Norfolk and Cambridge. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13). 5 April.

Grant, during pleasure, to Roger Croket, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Hanworth, co. Norfolk, with wages, &c. such as Edmond Aylmer, late holding the same office by grant from the old duchess of Norfolk, had with the same. 30 March. P. S. No. 836. 7 April.

Grant to John Huse of the office of steward of the lordships or manors of Bever, Bottesford, and Freiston [? co. Leic.], as long as the same shall be in the king's hands. 2 March. P. S. No. 837. Pat. p. 3. m. 17 (11). 7 April.

Grant, for life, to William Barbour, priest, of the free chapel in the town of Lynton upon Owse, co. York, void by the death of William Walker, last incumbent thereof, 7 April.

1486. and in the gift of the Crown. 5 April. P. S. No. 838. 1 Hen. VII. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13).

8 April. Grant to Laurence Yong of the office of cryer in all the king's courts in the county palatine of Lancaster; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed wages and fees belonging to the same office. L. R. 24.

8 April. Grant, for life, to Robert Palmer, of the corrody or sustentation in the priory of Bath, co. Somerset, now void, and in the gift of the Crown. 22 March. P. S. No. 839.

9 April. Grant to the king's most dear cousin, John, earl of Oxford, of the custody of the possessions late belonging to William Alington, esq., who held of the king in capite at his death, during the minority of Giles his son and heir; grant also of the wardship and marriage of the same Giles; clause for the continuance of the custody until an heir shall have attained majority, in the event of the present heir dying a minor; grant also of all issues of the premises from the death of the said William without rendering accompt; competent support to be found for the heir; all repairs to be kept up. 12 Dec. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25).

10 April. Grant to John Basket of a messuage called le George, in the town or borough of Burford upon the Wolde, co. Oxford, a large place or tenement in the said town, and five other messuages, with gardens adjoining to each one of them, and all other lands, tenements, rents, and services situate and lying in the said borough and elsewhere, co. Oxford, lately belonging to William Brampton, and forfeited to the Crown by virtue of an act of the Parliament held at Westminster 7 Nov. last; to hold to him, his heirs and assigns for ever, by the services anciently due therefore without accompt. S. B. No. 207.

10 April. Presentation of Thomas Tremayn, chaplain, to the parish of Calstok, Exeter dioc., *vice* Roger Brode, deceased. Pat. p. 3. m. 18 (10).

1 Hen. VII. Licence, for one year, to Denis Beton of Barefleu (Barfleur) in Normandy (in consideration of various services and kindnesses to the king in times past, and on account of certain other causes specially moving the king), to purchase wools of the growth of the lordship and country of Wales (wools of Lemynster Or' in the same country and wools in the marches of the same alone excepted) to the amount of 1,500 lbs. in weight, and to freight one or more vessels therewith in any port or ports in Wales, and to carry the same into Normandy or elsewhere, paying the customs and duties thereupon. Further grant, as a reward, that he may retain in his own possession 15*l.* out of the customs, &c. of the wools above mentioned. Indentures are ordered to be made between the grantee and the collectors of customs, setting forth the customs due and the allowance deducted therefrom. 10 April. P. S. No. 840. 1486. 11 April.

Licence, for one year, to Remondo de Domo Nova, merchant, a native of the parts of Vascony, to bring over, in one or more vessels (either French, Spanish, Breton, or Flemish) and in one or more voyages, 100 tuns of wine of the growth of the duchy of Acquitain or any other place into the port of the city of London or of the town of Bristol, there to discharge the same, and sell, distribute, exchange, or alienate it according to his pleasure; no customs to be paid thereon; no accompt to be rendered touching the same. 10 April. P. S. No. 841. 11 April.

Safe conduct and special protection, for eight months, for John, abbot of the monastery of St. Mary "de Cis-"tewes in Burgonum" to come into England, with 16 persons in his company, there to stay as long as he shall like, make as many journeys to and fro as he may find necessary, &c. during the time limited by this protection. 11 April.

Martin Swan, the king's scholar, presented to the free chapel of St. James within the lordship of Higham Ferrers, in co. Northampton. L. R. 156. 11 April.

1486. 14 April. Licence of entry, without proof of age, and without any livery or prosecution of her inheritance in the Court of Chancery, for Ellen Benstede, aunt and heir of William Benstede, esq., and sister and heir of John Benstede, knt., his father. 13 April. P. S. No. 842. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13). 1 Hen. VII.

18 April. Mandate to the escheator in the counties of Somerset and Dorset to take the fealty of and receive security from Walter Paunesfote, son and heir of Walter Paunesfote, knt., deceased, for his reasonable relief which is due at the Exchequer upon the possessions late belonging to his father, and to deliver seisin thereof unto him, his homage having been respited until Christmas next, in consideration of half a mark paid into the Exchequer. Orig. m. 26.

18 April. Grant to Edmund Nowers of the custody of the possessions late belonging to Robert Broune, and of the wardship and marriage of Cristopher Broune, son and heir of the same Robert, during the minority of the same heir; further grant of the issues, &c. accruing during such custody; clause for continuance of the custody, &c., in the event of the present heir dying a minor, until an heir shall have attained majority; without accompt. Orig. m. 26.

22 April. Grant to Thomas Bulkeley of the custody of a house or place called Corby Hall, alias Corbyn Hall, and 16 acres of land, with appurtenances in Eltham, and of a cottage with a garden near the "scansum" of the parish church of Eltham, from Michaelmas last, for 20 years, at a yearly rent, for Corby Hall of 20*s.*, and a yearly improved rent of 6*d.*, and for the garden and cottage 3*s.* 8*d.*, and improved rent of 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 27.

22 April. Grant, in tail male, to Nicholas Knyfton, esq., of the manor or lordship of Killerby, alias Kellerbe, co. York, with all pertaining thereto, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis Lovell, late Lord Lovell,

1 Hen. VII. attainted of high treason; to hold the same by the ancient rents and services therefore due; without accompt. 22 April. S. B. No. 208. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Walter Story (in consideration of true and faithful service), of the office of one of the foresters of the "Nedir Warde," in the forest of Inglewode, co. Cumb., which office one Richard a Barowe, deceased, late had and occupied. 20 April. P. S. No. 843. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13). 23 April.

Grant, for life, to Rouge Dragon, of an annuity of 10*l.* sterling. 2 April. P. S. No. 844. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15). 25 April.

Rex universis et singulis admirallis, capitaneis, castellanis et eorum locatenentibus, custodibus portuum maris et passagiorum, ac scrutatoribus eorundem, necnon vicecomitibus, majoribus, ballivis, constabulariis, præpositis, ministris, ac omnibus aliis fidelibus ligeis nostris sub obedientia nostra ubilibet constitutis ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod, certis de causis et considerationibus nos specialiter moventibus, de gratia nostra speciali licentiam dedimus, ac per præsentes licentiam damus, dilecto et fideli nostro Humfrido Talbot militi marescallo villæ nostræ Calesiæ, quod ipse, cum sex personis in comitiva sua, versus et usque urbem Romanam peregre proficisci, cum equis, hernesiis, manticis, fardellis, ac cæteris sibi necessariis et oportunis valeat, absque scrutinio, impetitione, molestatione, perturbatione, gravamine, seu calumnia nostri, aut officiariorum seu ministrorum nostrorum quorumcumque. Et ideo vobis mandamus quod ipsum Humfridum versus et usque urbem prædictam, cum personis prædictis in comitiva prædicta, ac cum equis, hernesiis, manticis, fardellis, ac cæteris præmissis, absque scrutinio seu impedimento aliquo, libere transire permittetis. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Eborum xxv. die Aprilis. Fr. m. 8. 25 April.

Grant to John Luthyngton of the offices of receiver and surveyor of all the possessions called Warewyke 26 April.

1486. landes, in the counties of Warwick, Worcester, Stafford, Lincoln, Huntingdon, Norfolk, Suffolk, Northampton, Rutland, Buckingham, Hertford, Cambridge, Essex, Middlesex, London, and Kent, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the same shall remain in the hands of the Crown, with the same wages, emoluments, &c. as he heretofore had in the same office in the time of Richard, late earl of Warwick, of George, late duke of Clarence, and of the most illustrious prince Edward IV., late king of England. 25 April. P. S. No. 845. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17). 1 Hen. VII.

26 April. Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Quadryng, one of the yeomen of the king's chamber, of the office of bailiff of the town and lordship of Melton Roos, co. Lincoln. 10 April. P. S. No. 846.

27 April. Grant to John Iwarby, esq., and Richard Hert, of the receipt of the Exchequer, of the custody of 12 acres of land, with appurtenances, in Ledered, called Potteslande, co. Surrey, and of one plot of land in Oxencroft, in Ledered aforesaid, and of 7 acres of land in Mikelham, which John Brewester lately held, from Michaelmas last, for 21 years, at a yearly rent of 7*s.*, and a yearly improved rent of 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 26.

27 April. [1] Grant to John Huse and Thomas Ballard of the manor of Northduffeld and certain possessions in Northduffeld and elsewhere, co. York, during the minority of Ann, daughter and heir of John Salvan, deceased. The recital sets out that a John Kendale lately had and occupied the same by grant of William, late bishop of Durham, and others, of whom the same premises were severally held by knight's service, but that he forfeited the same, owing to his having been attainted of high treason by an act of the Parliament lately held at Westminster,

[1] There is another Signed Bill for this grant, delivered 25 April, but only one enrolment.

1 Hen. VII. and the same are therefore in the hands of the Crown. 1486.
S. B. No. 209. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13).

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Leche (in considera- 27 April.
tion of good and true service), of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Langton, co. York. 25 April. P. S. No. 847.

Grant to John Forster, esq., of the custody of a tene- 28 April.
ment called Grengate, in the parish of St. Andrew's, in Cornhill, in the city of London, from Easter last, for seven years, at a yearly rent of 40*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* Orig. m. 26.

General pardon, and release to George Nevill, late of 28 April.
Carlile, co. Cumb., esq., alias late of Raskell, co. York, gent., &c., of all offences committed by him before the date hereof, and from all the penalties attaching thereto. 27 April. P. S. No. 848. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13).

Exemption to Robert Collynwood, esq., and John, his 29 April.
son (in consideration of good and grateful service to the king in various ways), from any future payment of a yearly rent of 4*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.*, issuing out of the manor of Essellyngton, co. Northumberland, as farm of the same manor, which they are bound to pay yearly to the Crown, viz. 4*l.* thereof to the sheriff of Northumberland, and the remaining 16*s.* 8*d.* to the receiver of the castle of Baumburgh, and from all arrears thereof; also grant of the same, in survivorship, to the said Robert and John. 28 April. P. S. No. 849. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17).

Grant, in survivorship, to Robert Collynwood, esq., and 29 April.
John, his son (in consideration of good and grateful services performed by them in the parts of le Estmarche and Middelmarche of the kingdom of England towards Scotland), of an annuity of 10*l.* out of the customs and subsidies arising in the port of the town of Newcastle upon Tyne. 28 April. P. S. No. 850. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17).

Presentation of Master Richard Payn, B.L., to the hos- 30 April.
pital of St. Nicholas, near the town of Richmond, void,

1486. and in the gift of the Crown; and request to Master John Blithe, archdeacon of Richemond, in the cathedral church of York, in whose jurisdiction the same hospital lies, to induct him into possession thereof, with all rights and appurtenances pertaining thereto. 29 April. P. S. No. 851. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15). 1 Hen. VII.

30 April. Appointment, for life, of Christopher Moresby, knt. (in consideration of various services to the king), as steward of the manors or lordships of Penreth, Gamlesby, and Queneshames, co. Cumb., with the government of the tenants there; and grant of a salary of 40*l.* a year, out of the issues, &c. of the said lordships or manors. 28 April. P. S. No. 852. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16).

30 April. Special protection and safeguard, for one year (in consideration of certain powerful reasons influencing the king's mind, specially concerning him and the public good of his kingdom of England, by reason of his royal prerogative), for Nicholas Morton, late of London, mercer, alias Nicholas Moreton, late of Westminster, merchant, alias Nicholas Mowrton, gentleman, granting him, amongst other things, freedom from arrest and imprisonment in consequence of any suit or prosecution on behalf of the Crown against him or of any persons whatsoever, and that he suffer no distraint of goods or chattels in consequence thereof. 27 April. P. S. No. 853. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16).

30 April. Nomination of Thomas Karlell, the king's chaplain, to the parish church of Middelton in Tesedale, Durham dioc., void by the death of the last incumbent, and request to William, abbot, and the convent of the monastery of St. Mary, York, to present him to John, bishop of Durham, and to do what else remains to be done in the matter. The preamble states that the nomination to this living belongs to the Crown, and the presentation to the said abbot and convent. P. S. No. 854. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15).

30 April. Presentation of John Hauldynby to the parish of Arunithorp, York dioc., he having effected an exchange

1 Hen. VII. with William Glover of this living for the parish of Awne, in the same diocese. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13). 1486.

Grant, for life, to William Tunstall, an esquire for the king's body, of the office of constable of the castle of Scardeburgh, co. York, with wages of 16*l.* a year out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Northstede. S. B. No. 210. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13). 30 April.

H. R. By the king.

Trusti and right welbiloved we grete you wele. And wol and desire you to doo, pourveye, and buye for us the stuff particlerly folowing; that is to say, twelf yerdis of blake velvet for a gown; twelf yerdis of purpult satten to lyne it wyth; twelf yerdis of fyne cremessyn velvet for an other gowne; twelf yerdis of blake satten to lyne it with; fife yerdis of cremessyn velvet for a ridyng gown; fife yerdis of blak satten to lyne it with; and twelf yerdis of blake satten to lyne a gown of clothe of golde. And the same to sende suerly unto us in as goodly hast as ye can. And these our lettres shalbe your suffisant warrant in that behalve for your allowance and repayment of the money by you therin to bee emploied. Yeven undre our signet, at our town of Dancastre, the last day of Aprill.

To our trusti and right welbeloved counseillour and knyghte for our body, S^r^ Raynold Bray, chancellour of our duchie of Lancastre:—

Schedule.

In primis, xii. vergis of blak velvet, at xvi. s. the yerd— ix. li. xii. s.

Item, xii. vergis of purpyll saten, at xx. s. the verge— xii. li.

Item, xii. vergis of crymsyn velvet, and v. other vergis of the same, at xxviij. s. - xxiij. li. xii. s.

Item, xii. yerdis of blak saten, at xiij. s. iiij. d. the yerd —viij. li.

Item, v. yerdis of blak saten, at x. s. the yerd - l. s.

Item, xii. yerdis blak saten, at x. s. the yerd - vi. li.

1486. 1 May. Appointment, for life, of John Clerke, as searcher of the port and town of Calais and the marches thereof, with wages of 12*d.* sterling a day, which wages John . . romayle heretofore enjoyed in the same office; the same wages to commence from the 6th of April last. 30 April. P. S. No. 855. 1 Hen. VII.

2 May. General pardon to John Boylston, late of Notingham, yeoman, with a special clause as to escapes of felons, traitors, and prisoners out of the gaol within the town of Notingham. 14 April. P. S. No. 856. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17).

2 May. Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Carre, squire for the king's body, of the offices of constable and porter of the castle of Middelham, with the keeping of the park there, called Sonnescogh, "wherin our saide castell standeth," with wages, fees, &c. out of the lordship of Middelham. P. S. No. 857. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15).

2 May. Grant, for life, to John Clayton, priest, "of oure grace "especiall and in waye of charite," of the chantry "of "Saint Swythennes, nighe our olde parke of Wakefeld." P. S. No. 858. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15).

2 May. Grant, during pleasure, to Henry Lord Clifford, of the offices of chief steward of the lordship of Middelham, co. York, of bailiff of the franchise of Richemond, and of master of the royal game within the said lordship and franchise. Further grant, during pleasure, of an annuity of 100 marks out of the issues, &c. of the said lordship and franchise. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16).

2 May. Grant, for life, to Richard Conyers, esq., of an annuity of 8*l.* out of the issues of a certain messuage or tenement, with a mill thereto annexed, situate near the castle of Middelham, within the franchise and liberty of Richemond, co. York, which same messuage Alicia, late countess of Salisbury, purchased to her and her heirs and assigns from Thomas de Ulsaye, and which is for certain reasons in the hands of the Crown. 30 April. P. S. No. 859. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17).

1 Hen. VII. General pardon to Robert Hamond, late of Notinghamme, painter or yeoman, with a special clause as to escapes of felons, traitors, and prisoners out of the gaol within the town of Notinghamme. 14 April. P. S. No. 860. Pat. p. 8. m. 11 (17). 1486. 2 May.

Grant, for life, to William Lancastre, esq., of the office of steward of the lordship of Marton, co. Westmoreland. Further grant, for life, of an annuity of 10 marks out of the revenues of the said lordship. 28 April. P. S. No. 861. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15). 2 May.

Grant, for life, to Henry Pudsey ("in consideracioun " of the good and true service whiche oure trusty and " welbeloved squier hathe doone unto us"), of the office of keeper of the park called Cottescough, within the lordship of Middelham. 30 April. P. S. No. 862. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15). 2 May.

Grant to Sir John Pykering, knt., of an annuity of 15*l.*; 10*l.* to be taken out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Oswoldkirke, co. York, and 5*l.* out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Apulford, co. York; as long as the said lordships shall be in the king's hands. 1 May. P. S. No. 863. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3). 2 May.

Grant, for life, to Sir Thomas Tempest, knt., of the office of steward of the lordship of Thornton, co. York, with wages of 10 marks sterling a year, from Easter last, out of the revenues of the said lordship. 30 April. P. S. No. 864. *See* Pat. p. 3. m. 16 (12), where the same grant appears under date 3 April. 2 May.

Grant, during pleasure, to the mayor and burgesses of the town of Newcastle upon Tyne (in consideration of good and gratuitous services to the king, and the great charges and expenses they sustain in the defence of the marches towards Scotland, by sea and by land, and in the maintaining and repairing of the Tyne Bridge there, and the walls of the said town), of 20*l.* yearly out of the great customs in the port of the said town, towards the 3 May.

1486. support and repairing of the bridge and walls aforesaid. 1 Hen. VII. 2 May. P. S. No. 865.

3 May. Grant, for life, to John Cartington, esq., of the fee-farm or yearly rent of 10*l.* 6*s.*, due to the Crown, and issuing from the lordship and port of Newbigging, near Wodhorne, co. Northumb., which lordship Ralph Wodrington, knt., kinsman and heir of John Wodrington, knt., holds of the Crown to him and his heirs for ever, rendering to the Crown the said farm. Further grant of all those lands and tenements lately belonging to Thomas Sawles in the "Hewgh'," near Standffordham, forfeited by the said Thomas, and in the hands of the Crown, of the yearly value of 30*s.*; and 31*s.* of free rent in Ulstone, near Hawkeswelle, and a tenement in Yngowe, called Pasturffelde, of the yearly value of 7*s.* also in the hands of the Crown; also the hamlet or manor of Riplington, near Whalton, of the yearly value of 30*s.*; without accompt. 30 April. P. S. No. 866. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17).

3 May. Grant, for life, to John Egremond, knt., of an annuity of 40 marks sterling out of the issues, &c. of the manors or lordships of Stillingflete, Ringhowses, Upton, and Brian Askham, co. York (lately belonging to Francis, late Viscount Lovell, and forfeited to the king by an act of the Parliament held 7 Nov. last), to be paid by Robert Clifford, esq., and his heirs male or any other occupiers of the said premises. 9 March. P. S. No. 867. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25).

3 May. Appointment of Thomas, lord of Dacre (by advice of the council), as the king's lieutenant of the West marches towards Scotland, giving him all the powers enjoyed by like lieutenants in the reigns of the king's progenitors; also power to punish any breaches of the truces which may be from time to time agreed upon between England and Scotland; also power to grant safe conducts to any commissioners who may be appointed from Scotland to arrange treaties, truces, &c.; power to appoint sufficient

1 Hen. VII. deputies in his absence. This appointment dates from 1 May until the 30th of April next. S. B. No. 211. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Makworth, one of the grooms of the king's chamber (in consideration of true and faithful service), of the office of keeper of the park called the West Park, of the lordship of Middelham, co. York. 24 April. P. S. No. 868. Pat. p. 3. m. 2 (26). 3 May.

Grant, for life, to Henry Percy, knt., of the office of porter or keeper of the gate of Bamburgh Castle, co. Northumberland, with wages, fees, &c. such as Thomas Mershall had in the same office. 2 May. P. S. No. 869. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17). 3 May.

Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Grenehall, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Gayneford within the bishopric of Durham. P. S. No. 870. Pat. p. 3. m. 15 (13). 3 May.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Beauchamp, esq., of an annuity or yearly rent of 10*l.* out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Scotby, co. Cumb. P. S. No. 871. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15). 3 May.

Grant, for life, to Robert Lye, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of keeper of the New Park of Nottingham, co. Notts., with wages of 4*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the king's mills called Castel Milles, co. Notts. 8 March. P. S. No. 872. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15). 3 May.

Grant, for life, to Simon Dygby, of the office of steward of the manors of Upyngham, Preston, Barowghdon, Esenden, and Gretham, co. Rutland, and of all lands and tenements late belonging to George, late duke of Clarence, in the said county. 1 May. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16). 4 May.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Gregory, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Crakehall, and, during life, of the keeping of the king's woods there, co. Richmond, with all wages, &c. pertaining to same. 3 May. P. S. No. 873. 4 May.

1486. 4 May. Grant, for life, to Robert Ryther, knt., of the office of constable of York Castle, with wages, &c. of 20*l.* out of the customs in the port of Kingston upon Hull. 3 May. P. S. No. 874. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16). 1 Hen. VII.

4 May. Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to acquit and discharge Thomas Worteley, knt., late sheriff of the county of Stafford, Thomas Morley of Grantham, co. Linc., esq., and John Peynter of the city of York, esq., from the payment of 40*l.*, forfeited by them under a recognizance, for which process of attachment has issued against them out of the Exchequer. Further mandate to discharge the said late sheriff in his accompt from payment of divers sums of money for various persons on whom he has not made any levy. Further mandate to permit the said late sheriff to finish his accompt by his attornies at the Exchequer, according as it shall be ordered hereafter.

The recital upon which the above mandates are issued is to the effect following, viz. :—

The above-mentioned Wortley, late sheriff, Morley, and Peynter entered into a recognizance of 40*l.* before the barons of the Exchequer, 28 Nov., 1 Ric. III. (late, in dede and not of right, king of England), payable to the king at Easter following, the condition of which was that if the said late sheriff made his proffers on the morrows of the clause of Easter and St. Michael then next following, of his bailiffwick then to be made, of as much sums or better as his predecessors, late sheriffs of the said county, at the foresaid morrows any years of four years then next past best made, and the same proffers within a month of either of the said feasts of Easter and St. Michael well and truly paid at the receipt of the Exchequer, and if the said sheriff appeared in the said Exchequer, at a term to him to be prefixed, to yield accompt of the issues of his bailiffwick, and did make and yield a faithful accompt, and departed

1 Hen. VII. not from that court without licence, and also satisfied to the said late king all such as in the end of that accompt should happen to be due, that then the foresaid recognizance should be void, or else to remain in force. The said late sheriff who had day at the Exchequer, by prefixion of the court, in the quinzaine of St. Michael, 2 Ric. III., to yield accompt of the issues of his bailiffwick, came on that day by John Seinpoll and Richard Pennesby, his attornies, and then and there yielded to the said late king accompt of the issues of his office from Michaelmas, 1 Ric. III. ("from the fest of Sainct Michell " in the furst yere of the usurped reigne of the forsaid " late king"), to Michaelmas following (2 Ric. III.), by which accompt there was due unto the late king, and as yet remains due unto the present king, 941*l.* 14*s.* 4¾*d.* and departed from the court without licence, the duty to the king not satisfied, in contempt of the king. Process of attachment thereupon issued against the said late sheriff and his attornies for the said contempt, and to levy the said duty from their goods and chattels, &c. S. B. No. 212. 1486.

Grant, for life, to John Stanbrigge, of the office of one of the four foresters of Shirwod Forest, called "the " keping of the loge of Immeslowe and Clipston Shrogges, " in the north baille of the saide forest," with wages of 4*d.* a day out of the issues, &c. of the county of Nottingham. 2 May. P. S. No. 875. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (71). 4 May.

Grant, during pleasure, to Sir Rauff Bigod, knight for the king's body, of the offices of constable and porter of the castle of Shirifhoton, with the bailyship of the town and keeping of the park there, co. York, with wages, &c. out of the lordship thereof. 3 May. Pat. p. 3 m. 13 (15). 5 May.

Grant, for life, to Sir Hugh Hastynges, of an annuity or yearly rent of 20*l.*, issuing out of the revenues arising from the fishery in the water of Ayer, called 5 May.

1486. Goldhalgarth, viz. from Ayrod to Henshalgote, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York. L. R. 79. 1 Hen. VII.

5 May. Grant, during pleasure, to "Lancaster herald at our "arms," of an annuity or annual rent of 12*l.* sterling for the fee of his said office, to be taken out of the issues, &c. of the town and marches of Calais. 7 March. P. S. No. 876. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18).

5 May. Grant, for life, to Henry Marton, of the office of keeper of the park of Wanneles, co. York, with wages, fees, &c. out of the issues of the lordship of Middelham, co. York. 4 May. P. S. No. 877. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15).

5 May. Grant to Thomas Wortlay, knt., and Joan, his wife (widow of John Pilkyngton, knt., deceased), of the manors and lordships of Turnehamhall and Thorneton in Craven, co. York, late belonging to Thomas, late Lord Roos, but now for certain reasons in the hands of the Crown; to hold to them and either of them so long as the same shall continue in the hands of the Crown. Further grant of all the rents, profits, &c. arising from the said manors during such tenure. 4 May. P. S. No. 878. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16).

5 May. Lease, for term of his life, to Sir John Nevyll, of the herbage and pannage of the park of Rondhagh, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, rendering annually for the same, 4*l.* 2*s.* L. R. 86[b].

5 May. Grant, for life, to John Nevylle, one of the knights of the king's body, of the office of master of the game in all the forests, chaces, and parks within the honor of Pountfret, together with the custody of the park of Rondeshagh, with the wages, fees, &c. pertaining to the same. L. R. 64[b].

6 May. Grant, for life, to Thomas Burneby, of an annuity or yearly rent of 10 marks out of the profits and revenues of the honor and lordship of Tuttebury, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 108.

6 May. Grant, for life, to John Dawney, of the custody of the park of Fyppyn, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in the

1 Hen. VII. county of York, with the accustomed wages and fees thereunto belonging. L. R. 64b. 1486.

Grant to John Dawney, of the office of chief steward of the lordship of Snayth, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining; also of an annuity or yearly rent of 10 marks sterling during his life, payable out of the revenues of the said lordship. L. R. 63. 6 May.

Grant, for life, to Sir William Evers, of the office of receiver of the lordship of Pykerynglyth, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, at the annual salary of 20 marks. L. R. 63b. 6 May.

Grant to Sir Henry Percy of a certain annual rent of 40*l.* issuing out of the profits and revenues of the lordship of Dunstanburgh, in co. Northumberland, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold until the king shall elsewhere provide the said Sir Henry Percy with lands and tenements worth 40*l.* per annum. L. R. 79. 8 May.

Grant, for life, to John Cartyngton, of an annual rent of 6*l.* issuing out of the revenues of the lands within the vill and territory of Shipley, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, as of the king's lordship of Emyldon, within the county of Northumberland. L. R. 79. 8 May.

Grant to Sir Henry Percy of the office of receiver and bailiff of the lordship of Emyldon, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Northumberland; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed wages and fees; to be perceived annually from the rents of the said lordship. L. R. 65b. 8 May.

Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to allow 4*l.* 11*s.* 3*d.* upon the accompt of the late bailiffs of the town of Shrovesbury, out of the fee-farm of the said town, for the year ended Michaelmas last, and to acquit and discharge them and John Spynell therefrom. The mandate follows upon the following recital:—The king had commanded Thomas Mytton and Roger Knight, 8 May.

1486. late bailiffs of the said town, to pay unto John Spynell, 1 Hen. VII.
one of the yeomen of the Crown, as a gift and reward, 4*l.* 11*s.* 3*d.*, which would have been due at Michaelmas last past to Thomas Straunge, yeoman of the Crown "with Richard, late, in dede and not of right, king of "England, the Thirde," for the fee of the said Crown, granted to him by the said late king, to be perceived of the fee-farm of the said town by the hands of the bailiffs there for the time being. The said late bailiffs have no sufficient warrant for their discharge therefore at the Exchequer, but stand charged unto the king for their indemnity in this behalf. S. B. No. 213.

8 May. Mandate to Sir William Husey, knt., chief justice, and his fellow justices of the King's Bench, to surcease from awarding, &c. any manner of process out of the King's Bench against John Birche, yeoman, Thomas Birche, bocher, William Avered, tailor, Thomas Guillam, yeoman, and Thomas Hall, yeoman, all of Ware, co. Hertford; Edmond Rogers, yeoman, Richard Bordalf, yeoman, William Carpenter, labourer, John Lawrence, labourer, and Edward Wyntrappe, yeoman, all of Watton at Stone, co. Hertford; Richard Doughty, yeoman, John Doket, yeoman, Thomas Balcote, yeoman, Edmond Salman, labourer, and Thomas Wilson, labourer, all of Benyngton, co. Hertford; John Lokey, of Chesthunt, co. Hertf., yeoman, Thomas Tailler, of Stanstede Mountfichet, co. Essex, yeoman, John Vernam, of Westminster, yeoman, and William Pylande, late of London, yeoman, by the sinister labour and malice of the king's adversaries indicted in the second of Richard III. (late, in dede and not in right, king of England) before the justices of the peace, co. Hertford, for divers riots, trespasses, and other offences; which indictments are returned into the King's Bench, and there remain of record; whereupon process is awarded, as it is said, out of the King's Bench against the said Birch and others, to their great "jeaperdie" of body and loss of goods. If process has been awarded,

1 Hen. VII. the said justices are to command Henry Harman, coroner and attorney of the King's Bench, to make out supersedeas to the sheriffs of such shires as the said process has been awarded, to surcease of execution of the same until otherwise ordered by the king. S. B. No. 214. 1486.

Grant, for life, to John Teye, esq., of the lands, &c. in the counties of Suffolk and Essex late belonging to Thomas Thorpe, but now in the king's hands through his forfeiture; without accompt. 7 May. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17). 8 May.

The king presents Thomas Redley to the rectory of the church of Derton, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in dioc. York, which Richard III., late king of England, in deed but not of right, gave and granted to the prior and convent of the house of St. Mary Magdalene of Monk Breton for ever, but which said appropriation and grant were by act of Parliament reversed, annulled, and made void. L. R. 81. 10 May.

Grant, for life, to James Ederiche (in consideration of good and grateful service to the king in parts beyond the sea, and within the kingdom of England), of the offices of steward of the hundred called Rocheford Hundred, co. Essex, and of parker of the park of Ralegh, co. Essex.; grant also, during pleasure, of the nomination and appointment of a bailiff of the said hundred under him; with wages out of the issues, &c. of the manor or honor of Ralegh and hundred of Rocheford. 5 April. P. S. No. 879. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14). 10 May.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and Fraunce, and lord of Ireland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Whereas we undrestande that oone goblet withe a covere of golde, and thre salt salers withe a coveryng of silver and gilte, whiche late were in the handes and possessioun of oure rebelle and traitour Sir Robert Brakenbury, remaigne in youre keping for us and to our behoufe. We late you wite, that we, of oure grace especiall, for 11 May.

1486. certaine consideraciouns us moevyng, have frely yeven the same plate to oure moost dere and bestbeloved lady and modre the countesse of Richemond and Derby. Wherfore we wol and charge you that, fourthwithe upon the sighte hereof, ye delivere unto hir or hir assigne alle the saide [articles] by endenture specifying the poys and weighte therof. And thies oure letteres, withe the countreparte of the same endenture, shalbe youre suffisaunt warrant and discharge in that behalf anempst us atte alle tymes herafter, any commaundement or restraint made to the contrarye therof notwithestanding. Yeven undre oure pryve sealle, atte oure citie of Worcestre, the xith day of May, the furst yere of our reigne. 1 Hen.VII.

1 1 May. Grant, for life, to John Forde, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of keeper of the park of Donyate, co. Somerset, with 4*d.* a day wages out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Donyate. Further grant of the herbage of the said park, paying yearly therefore 20*s.* to the Crown. 3 May. P. S. No. 880.

11 May. Grant, for life, to John Wystowe, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of keeper of "oure herde" in the forest of Shirwode and Blythworth, co. Notts., with wages, fees, &c. out of the counties of Notts. and Derby. 3 May. P. S. No. 881. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16).

11 May. Grant, for life, to Sir Marmaduc Constable, knight for the king's body, of the office of steward of the lordships of Bawtre and Hothom, co. York, with wages, &c. of 20 marks per annum out of the issues, &c. of the said lordships. 10 May. P. S. No. 882. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3).

12 May. Pardon to Oliver Alwode, of Warwyke, clk., of suit of the king's peace, for all manner of treasons, murders, &c. by him committed before the date hereof. S. B. No. 215. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15).

12 May. Grant, for life, to Thomas Basshe, of the office of one of the serjeants of the castle of St. Briovel, within the

1 Hen. VII. forest of Deane, with wages of 13*s.* 4*d.* a year out of the issues, &c. of the common called Warmorys lande, and all emoluments, &c., such as William Basshe had with the same office temp. Henry VI., the king's uncle. P. S. No. 883. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15). 1486.

Presentation of John Bennys, chaplain, to the parish church of St. Crede, Exeter dioc., *vice* Richard Skypton, clk., resigned. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24). 12 May.

Grant to Thomas Cook, of Stafford, of the office of keeper of the park of Mawdeley, co. Stafford, in the king's gift owing to the minority of Edward, duke of Buckingham, with the farm of a certain ground called Lomercote, belonging to the said duke, paying the rent and farm accustomed therefore; to hold the same during such minority, and as long as the same shall be in the king's hands, with wages, &c. out of the lordship of Mawdeley. 11 May. P. S. No. 884. Pat. p. 3. m. 12 (16). 12 May.

Licence to William Capell, knt., and alderman of the city of London, William Heryot, citizen and clothier of the same city, John Ambrosius de Nigrono, merchant of Genoa, John de Salvo, and Benedict Spinula, and their factors, to beard, clack, and cleanse certain wools and ship them on board the king's ship, called la Mary of Tour, in the port of the town of Southampton, about the feast of St. John the Baptist next, and export the same to foreign parts by and through the Straits of Marrok, paying as customs, &c. on each sack of wool 4 marks only. General discharge to the said grantees and the customs officers from any further claim. 9 March. P. S. No. 885. 12 May.

Grant, for life, to John Hanley, John Bawdewyn, John a Chambre, and Richard Bulkeley (having respect to their service, and to the great costs and charges by them borne "in oure late victorious feld," and also in pursuing the letters mentioned in the recital), of 4*d.* each per day, to be paid, as well out of the issues, &c. of the lordships of Esyngwold and Hooby, which be 12 May.

1486. members and within the precinct of Galtresse Forest, as out of the lordship of Shirefhoton: upon recital that the king had on the 25th of Sept. last granted to them the offices of four foresters in Galtresse Forest, co. York, with 4*d.* a day each for wages, to be received from the receiver of the same, and that the said receiver is so overcharged that he is unable to pay such wages from the receipt of his office. S. B. No. 216. 1 Hen. VII.

12 May. Licence of entry, without proof of age, or livery, or prosecution of his inheritance in the Chancery, for George Lumley, knt., son and heir of Thomas Lumley, knt., into all possessions belonging to him as of inheritance from his father or any of his ancestors. 30 April. P. S. No. 886. Pat. p. 4. m. 5 (20).

12 May. Grant, for life, to Gefferey Rede, of the office of "Shirefes Walling of Dertwiche," co. Worc., with fees, wages, &c. such as John Lucynam, late yeoman of the chamber of "Richard the Thirde, late, indede and not "of righte, king of England," had with the same office. 9 May. P. S. No. 887. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15).

12 May. General pardon to Humphrey Turnour, late of Brymyngeham, co. Warwick, hosier, for all offences committed by him previously to the date hereof. S. B. No. 217. Pat. p. 3. m. 11 (17).

13 May. H. R.

To the king our souverian lord. Mekely sheweth unto your highnesse your true subgiet and servant Sir George Nevil, knight, that where his fadre, the Lord Bergevenney, is seased of and by right of enheritaunce of the lordships of Harold Ewyas and of Ewyas Lacy, in Walys, and hathe peasibly be possessed of al the profits of the same, whiche of late he assigned to your said servaunt to enhable hym to doo your good grace the better service. It is soo, gracious souverain lord, that now of late by the subtile meanes and collusion of Mile ap Harry, Harry Mile, Walter Baskervyle, Thomas ap Watkyn, John ap Watkyn, Watkyn Vaghan,

3 Hen. VII. and Richard ap Thomas, tenaunts of the said lordshipes, 1486.
furst by there untrewe suggestion among theym namyng the said Lord Bergevenny that he shuld stand out of your grace, to that entent to withold and kepe in thair handes thair rentes and dewtes as they owt to paye; and when thay sawe that that wold not helpe thaym, than thay made amongist thaym that the said lord Bergevenny hath ceasyd a fine of the same; and seing that noon of these couth helpe theym, now by the meanes of the same Mile ap Harry and Harry Mile made other untrewe suggestyons to my lord of Bedford, and wold have had hym to sease these lordships into the handes of your good grace, and for nothyng els but to restrayn the arrerages in thair handes; and all the matere and causes shewed unto my said Lord Bedford, he of his grace and goodnes hathe sent thidere his letters that thay shuld not restrayn eny deuties for any entres made or any othre cause, yit notwithstanding thay disobeid his letters and wol not pay noon of thair dewties; wherefore if it wold please your moost excellent grace, tendrely considring the premisses, to graunt a lettre undre your prive seal to the receyvour of the said lordships, commaunding him to enjoine thies personnes, and alle othre tenaunts of the same lordeshipes that wil not content and pay thair said deuties, that thay may appere before your highnesse and the lordes of your noble counselle, under a payne of xl. li., to shew the causes why thay wol nat pay thaire said dueties. And your said besechere and servant shal pray to God for your moost noble and royal estate. Apud Worcestriam, xiii° die Maii, anno, etc. primo. S. B. No. 218.

Grant, for life, to Richard Scoley, chaplain (in con- 13 May.
sideration of faithful service, good disposition, and because he for a long time occupied and held the same by gift and grant of Edward IV., the king's progenitor), of the chantry within the manor of Clipston, together

1486. with the chapel of St. Edwin, within the forest of Shir- 1 Hen. VII.
wode; also grant, for life, of 100*s.* yearly, in aid of Divine service there, out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Notts. and Derby, in the same way as 100*s.* yearly were allowed in the great roll, 29 Edward III., to Walter de Montgomery, sheriff of Notts. and Derby, for payment to Robert Rotour, chaplain of the said chantry and chapel, and in the great roll, 6 Richard II., to John Look, sheriff of Notts. and Derby, for payment to John Davy, of Collewik, chaplain of the same. 5 May. P. S. No. 888. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14).

13 May. Grant, in tail male, to John Dudley, esq., of the manor or lordship of Acton Reynard, co. Salop, late belonging to Francis Lovell, Lord Lovell, and of the manor or lordship of Wanstre, co. Northampton, late belonging to Roger Wake, which manors have come to the king's hands through the forfeiture of the said Lord Lovell and Wake, as rebels; to hold the same by the services anciently due. 4 March. P. S. No. 889. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14).

13 May. Presentation of Master William Smyth, "keper of oure "recordes in the hanaper of oure Chauncery," clerk, to the parsonage of Combe Martyn, Exeter dioc., *vice* the last incumbent, deceased. 12 May. P. S. No. 890. Pat. p. 3. m. 13 (15).

14 May. To the king oure soverayne lord. In most humble and lamentable wise beseching, sheweth unto youre most noble grace youre faithfull liegeman and subgiet John Colard, of [Feck]enham, in this your counte of Worcestre, that where as he late came to Bromosgrove, in the said counte, upon a market daie for his necessary besynes, it fortuned that he sawe ther Humfray Stafford, nowe youre rebelle, whiche longe bifore that tyme was noo good maister nor welwillere unto him, and because he harde and was noysed there that he hade obteygned your perdon, and that othire peuple cam unto him to welcome him to the said towne, he, more for drede than love,

1 Hen. VII. cam to him and said that he was welcome, and noon othirwise, nor langer accompyned nor deled with him, but departed thens, for the whiche cause your said besecher, by certayn persons of malice and evill will, was of late wrongfully accused and indited of treason giltles, God knoweth. It will please therfor your most noble grace, having tender respect to his innocencie in that behalf, to commaunde the said inditement to be cancelled and anulled, and to pardone him of his negligence and misprision in that partie, and accept, take, and repute him as your true liegeman and subgeit, as he hath bene, is, and during his lif entendithe to be. And he shal pray to God for the preservacion of your most noble and roial estate. Apud Wigorniam, quartodecimo die Maii, anno Henrici Septimi primo. 1486.

De mandato domini regis viva voce. S. B. No. 220.

Grant to Thomas Lowe of the office of keeper of the park of Beeley, co. Worc., in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the Lord Latymer; to hold the same during such minority, with wages, &c. out of the said lordship, such as William Sheldon had in the same office. S. B. No. 219. 15 May.

Mandate to Sir William Huse, knt., and his fellows, justices of oyer and terminer in the shires of Warwick and Worcester, to surcease from awarding, &c. process against James Walwen, late of Lye, co. Worc., gentleman, and Roger Walwen, late of Worcester, gentleman, upon any indictments presented against them at the sessions at Worcester, and which indictments remain of record before the said justices. If any process has been awarded against them, to command Henry Harman, clerk of the Crown, to issue writs of supersedeas to the sheriffs to whom such process has been awarded. S. B. No. 221. 16 May.

To the king our soverain lord.

H. R.—Humbly shewethe unto your highnesse your true and feithfulle liegeman and servaunt Thomas Tot- 16 May.

1486. hoth, that where oon John Colard, of the forrest of Fekenham, in your countie of Wurcestre, yoman, for great and heynous treasons by hym late committed and doone in your said countie ayenst your good grace, in aiding and supporting your great rebelle and traitour Humfrey Stafford, standithe endited of treason and felony before the justices late by your said grace assigned to here and determyne treasons, felonyes, mesprisions, ℞ other offenses in the counties of Warwik ℞ Wurcestre, and therupone processe shuld have passed upon hym according to your lawes. And in consideracioun of the true service unto your said grace by your said servaunt, it liked the same your said grace to gef unto hym alle the landes, goodes, and catailles of the said John Colard, as apperethe by your gracious lettres more at large. It is soo, that by sinistre labour made on the behalf of the said John Colard, your gode grace of late have directed your lettres of prive seal to your said justices, commaunding theym to surcesse from making or awarding of any ferther processe ayainst the said John unto the tyme thay had otherwise from your said grace in commaundement. Maye it therfore please your said grace, in as moche as ye were deceyved in graunting of the said prive seelle, and that your said servaunt shalbe defrauded therby of your graunte to hym made as is aforesaid, to commaunde your othre lettres of prive seal to the said justices, that notwithstanding the said former lettres they procede furth ayenst the said John Colard according to the cours of your lawes. And your said servaunt shal ever praye God for the preservacioun of your moost noble and roial estate. Apud Herefordiam, sextodecimo die Maii, anno regni regis Henrici Septimi primo. 1 Hen. VII.

16 May. Mandate to Sir Henry Huse, knt., and his fellows, justices of oyer and terminer, in the shires of Warwick and Worcester, to surcease from assessing any fine upon and awarding any process against William Barbour, late of Worcester, barber, upon an indictment for trespasses, con-

1 Hen. VII. tempts, and misprisions touching the king's person, presented against him at the sessions at Worcester, which indictment remains of record before the said justices; which trespasses, &c. the said Barbour has acknowledged and confessed before the said justices, and thrown himself upon the king's mercy as to the fine to be made to the king, and has been committed to ward to the sheriff of Worcestershire and remains in prison—and if process has been awarded, then to command Henry Harman, clerk of the Crown, to issue writs of supersedeas to the sheriffs to whom such process has been awarded, and to command the said sheriff of Worcester to enlarge the said Barbour, and deliver him out of prison. S. B. No. 222. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Marmaduc Beke, one of the gentlemen ushers of the chamber, of the offices of keeper of the manor and park of Esthamstede and bailiff of Wynchamsted, within Windsor Forest, co. Berks., with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the said county. 15 May. P. S. No. 891. 18 May.

Grant, in reversion (upon the death of Cecille, duchess of York), to John Flygh, yeoman of the robes, of the office of keeper of the manor and park of Staundon, co. Hertford; to hold the same for life, with wages, &c. out of the lordship of Staundon. The same office is granted by the said duchess, by her letters patent, to a servant of hers during her life, and will be in the king's gift and at his disposal upon her death. 16 May. P. S. No. 892. 18 May.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay and deliver, forthwith upon the sight hereof, in ready money, to the king's trusty servant "Wyndesore, oone of oure heraldes," the sum of 20 marks sterling, "whiche we have appointed him frely to have "of oure yift and reward towardes his arrayement and "apparaillying ayenst his mariage," without prest or other charge thereon. P. S. No. 893. 20 May.

1486. 20 May. Grant, for life, to Richard Besage, of an annuity of 4*l.* 1 Hen. VII. out of the issues, &c. of the county of Notingham. 4 May. P. S. No. 894. Pat. p. 3 m. 9 (19).

20 May. Presentation of Master Richard Bromefeld, the king's sub-almoner, to the parish church of Fordeham, London dioc., *vice* Master Thomas Clerc, chaplain, deceased. P. S. No. 895. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19).

20 May. Commission to Robert Hardung, yeoman purveyor to the avery of the king's household, to provide horse-meat and litter for the royal stud until 16 Oct. next. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25.)

20 May. Lease to John Chauncy, for the term of seven years, of the manor of Quenden, in co. Essex, with all the live and dead stock there; rendering for the same annually 13*l.*, and keeping the houses, walls, and closes of the said manor in repair. The said John is to have firebote, cartbote, ploughbote, and heybote in the king's woods there. L. R. 170.

20 May. Lease to John Grey, for the term of seven years, of the manor of Northampsted, in co. Hertford, with all lands, tenements, meadows, feedings, and pastures to the said manor pertaining; all wardships, marriages, reliefs of freehold tenants who hold by military service, woods, and underwoods there being excepted and reserved to the king; also waifs, forfeited chattles, deodands, with all casualties there happening, which exceed the sum of 20*s.* likewise being excepted; rendering annually for the same 12*l.*, and making all repairs of the premises; taking annually in the woods and underwoods within the site of the said manor firebote, cartbote, housbote, ploughbote, and hegbote, and keeping and preserving, at his own cost, the said woods and underwoods pertaining to the said manor. L. R. 170.

22 May. Grant to Ranulph Pigot of the office of parker and keeper of the park of Hayvraa, and paler of the same, with the farm of the forester of Okeden, within the forest of Knaresburgh, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster,

1 Hen. VII. in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 64b. 1486.

Lease, for term of seven years, to Sir Ranulph Pigot, of the herbage and pannage of the park of Hayvraa, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the said park, rendering annually for the same 11*l.*, and 12*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 86b. 22 May.

Grant to John Clopton and William Waldegrave, esquires (in consideration of 100 marks paid beforehand), of the custody of the possessions late belonging to William Gate, esq., which he held of the kingduring the minority of Geoffrey, son and heir of the said William; also of the wardship and marriage of the said heir, without prejudice. Clause for continuance of the custody, &c. until an heir shall attain majority, in the event of the present heir dying a minor, and as long as the said possessions shall continue in the hands of the Crown. Grant also of all profits, &c. of the said possessions on condition that the heir be supported as befits his condition, and the premises be kept in repair, &c. 2 March. P. S. No. 896. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14). 22 May.

Grant, for life, to John Glover, priest, of the perpetual chantry founded within the parish church of Brailes, co. Warwick, *vice* John Newman, priest, deceased, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick. 20 May. P. S. No. 897. 22 May.

Grant, for life, to Sampson Norton, of the manor or lordship of Tarraunt Lawynston, otherwise called Tarraunt Launceton, co. Dorset, heretofore granted in tail male by Edw. IV. (Pat. 7 Edw. IV. p. 2. m. 6) to Christopher Wursley, esq., deceased, paying yearly such rents and services as the said Christopher paid. P. S. No. 898. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14). 23 May.

Grant, for life, to John Byngham, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the office of custumer at the gate of the town of Calais, commonly called Lanterngate, with 24 May.

1486. wages, &c. such as John Rede had with the same office, 1 Hen. VII.
and all emoluments, &c. belonging thereto, in 51 Edw. III. and 1 Ric. II. Further grant of wages from the 6th of April last, since which time the said Byngham has executed the said office without pay. 22 May. P. S. No. 899. Pat. p. 4. m. 24 (1). Fr. m. 5 (11) and m. 9 (7).

24 May. Grant, for life, to Adam Clerke, of the office of high bailiff of the county of Guisnes, in the marches of Picardy, with all wages, fees, &c. belonging to such office. Further grant of wages from the 6th of April last, since which time the said Adam has held the said office, and has given his attendance during the whole time, as well in that as in other service of the king's, to the king's satisfaction, without receiving pay. 22 May. P. S. No. 900. Pat. p. 4. m. 24 (1). Fr. m. 5 (11) and 9 (7).

24 May. Grant, for life, to Andrew Howarden, of the office of bailiff of the skewage of the town of Calais and island of Colne, with wages, &c. (from 6 April last) such as Richard Stanlake temp. Ric. II. had in the same office. 21 May. P. S. No. 901. Pat. p. 4. m. 24 (1). Fr. m. 9 (7) and 5 (11).

24 May. Grant, in reversion (upon the death of Cicill, duchess of York), to John Knolles, "yeoman for oure mouthe " in oure pantrie," of the office of keeper of the park of Mershewode, co. Dorset; to hold the same for life, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Mershewode. The said office is granted by the said duchess, by her letters patent, to a servant of hers during her life, and will be in the king's gift and at his disposal upon her death. S. B. 223.

24 May. Grant, during pleasure, to William le Noir, of the office of bailiff of the lordships of Sandegate and Hammes, with all fees, wages, &c. belonging to same, to be received by the hands of the treasurer of Calais for the time being. Further grant of wages, &c. from 6th April last, since when the said le Noir has performed the duties of the said office, and given his attendance in

1 Hen. VII. that and in other service of the king's, to the king's satisfaction, without receiving pay. P. S. No. 902. 1486.

Grant, to John Dawne, of the custody of the possessions, co. Salop, late belonging to John Lee, of Cotton, deceased, who held of the king in capite by knight's service, and which are in the hands of the Crown through the minority of Thomas Lee, his son and heir; to hold during such minority, without accompt. P. S. No. 903. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14). 25 May.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Lytell and his assigns, of the place or habitation called le Shawe, in the parish of Wyndesore, co. Surrey, without accompt. 10 May. P. S. No. 904. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3). 25 May.

Mandate to the custumers and collectors of the customs and subsidies in the port of Bristowe, to pay, incontinent upon the sight hereof, to Richard Pudsey, esq., serjeant of the "seler," 20 marks. Mandate also to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer, to allow the said sum upon the accompts of the said collectors. These mandates issue upon the following recital:— 25 May.

"For asmoch as our welbeloved servaunt Richard "Pudsey, squier, sergeant of our seler, of late by our "commaundement was in our message, in the north "parties, and there by certain oure rebelles and traitours "was robbed and spoiled of his horses and diverse othre "thinges, to his grete hurte and hinderaunce. We, havyng "tendre respect, as welle therunto as to his grete costes "and charges by hym susteyned and borne in this our "longe progresse and journey, have yeven and graunted "unto hym, in recompense therof, the somme of twenty "markes sterlinges, &c." S. B. No. 224.

Grant, to John Swynerton, yeoman usher of the chamber, of the office of keeper of the park of Upton, in the lordship of Upton upon Severn, co. Worc.; to hold during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with wages, &c. such as John Swyrdebrak, alias John Taillour, had in the same office. 22 May. P. S. No. 905. 25 May.

1486. 25 May. General pardon to Thomas Stacy, late of Bengeworth, co. Worc., tanner, alias Thomas Stasy, late of Beangeworth, yeoman, alias Thomas Stacye, late of co. Worc., husbondman. 22 May. P. S. No. 906. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19). 1 Hen. VII.

26 May. Grant to Sir William Evers of the office of receiver of the lordship of Pykerynglith, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with the fees and wages of 20 marks, to be received from the rents and revenues of the same lordship. L. R. 63b.

26 May. Pardon to Edmund Hunt, late of Werrewike, cardmaker, of suit of the king's peace, for all manner of treasons, murders, &c., &c. S. B. No. 225.

26 May. Grant to John Pikering, knt., of the office of steward of all the possessions, co. York, late belonging to Henry Nevel, late Lord Latymer, deceased, and in the hands of the Crown through the minority of Richard, his son and heir; to hold during such minority. 22 May. P. S. No. 907. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20).

26 May. Grant, to John Roger, of Tewkesbury, of the office of the bailliage or of bailiff of the vill and lordship of Lidney, co. Glouc., in the king's hands during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, son and heir of Isabella, late duchess of Clarence; to hold during such minority. 25 May. P. S. No. 908. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19).

26 May. Grant to Thomas Strenger of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Haddesore, co. Worc.; to hold during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with wages, &c. such as Walter Graunt had in the same office. 24 May. P. S. No. 909. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19).

27 May. Lease, for 12 years, to Sir Robert Willoughby, knight for the king's body, of all gold, silver, lead, and copper mines, cos. Cornwall and Devon, &c., paying yearly to

1 Hen. VII. the king the twelfth boll of the ore well washed, &c., and reserving for his own use the "taile" of the said ore, after washing, as nigh as it shall like him to take it, and all such paring of the house and testeworke slogges as shall be made at the "fynyng mille," as well the "queke slogges as the dede." Power to employ such labourers as may be necessary for working the said mines, ore, &c., and to pay the wages due to them; power also to purchase all such stuff and material as may be necessary for the works, men, &c. 25 May. P. S. No. 910. Pat. p. 4. m. 13 (12). 1486.

The king presents, in right of his duchy of Lancaster, Henry Payn to the prebend within the college of St. Clement, in the castle of Pontefract, void by the death of Simon Berryngton, the last incumbent. L. R. 81. 28 May.

Thomas Harsnap is presented to the parish church of Wethersfeld, in co. Essex, void by the death of Simon Biriton, the last incumbent, in the king's gift in right of his duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 168. 28 May.

Presentation for life, of Henry Chessire, chaplain, to the perpetual chantry in St. Paul's Cathedral, London, which belongs to the nomination and patronage of the Lord Roos (founded for the souls of Lady Beatrice de Roos, Thomas, Lord de Roos, of Hammelak and of Beaumour, Richard de Beaurley, Richard Pembrich, and his parents), *vice* Robert Bonsall, chaplain, deceased. 24 May. P. S. No. 911. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25). 28 May.

Grant, during pleasure, to Sir Walter Herbert, knt., of the offices of steward and constable of the lordship of Cantreselly, and of steward of the lordship of Talgarth, alias Denas. 27 May. P. S. No. 912. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14). 28 May.

Presentation of Thomas Ridley, priest, to the parsonage of Sentricase, alias Seintnycase, within the marches of Calais, Canterbury dioc., *vice* Master Simon Beriton, last incumbent thereof, deceased, and in the king's patronage. S. B. No. 226. 29 May.

1486. 29 May. By the king. 1 Hen. VII.

Right reverend Fadre in God, right trusty and welbeloved, we grete you wele. And wolle and charge you that undre oure prive seale being in youre keping ye doo make oure lettres in fourme folowing. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To oure right trusty and welbeloved Sir Thomas Thwaytes, knight, tresourere of oure towne and merches of Calais, greting. Where in the last yere of the usarpat reigne of the late king Richard the iii^de^ a certaine nombre of souldioures were put out of oure town of Calais for oure sake, to theire grete hinderaunce, of the which oure welbeloved Robert Bradbury stode still in his rome by a certaine tyme after, more than he was or is content of, that is to wite, a man of armes on horsebak, by the space of cxxi. dayes or any,ea me into his rowme, as we be credibly enfourmed. And his money due unto him for his said wages for the said tyme is delyvred unto youre handes, as a forfaict of a vacacion due unto us. We, considering aswele the good and true hert that the said Robert hath borne unto us, as the grete cost and charge that he hath susteigned and borne for oure sake and in oure service, wol and charge you that, incontynent upon the sight of thise oure lettres, ye delyvre or doo to be delivred and payed unto the said Robert as moche money as the said wages and rewardes of his said rowme by the tyme abovesaid wol amounte unto, as ye entende to doo us pleasire. And thise oure lettres shalbe unto you sufficient warrant and discharge anempst us in that behalve. Yeven, &c. And thise oure lettres shalbe therein youre warrant. Yeven undre our signet, at oure manoir of Shene, the xxix^th^ day of Maye, the furst yere of oure reigne.

(In dorso.)

To the right reverend fadre in God, oure right trusty and welbeloved, the bisshop of Excestre, kepar of oure prive seale.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during pleasure, to John Hays, of the office of receiver and surveyor of the lordship or manor of Dertington, and of all the possessions, co. Devon, late belonging to Ann, late duchess of Exeter, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the manor of Dertington, co. Devon. S. B. No. 227. 1486. 31 May.

William Bedell presented to the free chapel within the parish of Wighton, in co. Norfolk, in the king's donation by reason of his duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 156. 1 June.

General pardon to Thomas Trollehope, of Beaudeley, co. Worc., yeoman, &c. S. B. No. 228. 1 June.

General pardon to Michael Wherton, late of Middelham, co. York, gentleman, alias late of Coverdale, co. York, gentleman, alias late of Richemond, co. York, gentleman, alias late of Kyrkebythore, co. Westmoreland, gentleman, of all offences, &c. committed by him before the 28th inst. 31 May. P. S. No. 913. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18). 1 June.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to levy a tally, at the receipt of the Exchequer, for 6*l.* 15*s.* 4½*d.* upon the men of the town of Sherewesbury of their fee-farm due at Easter, 2 Ric. III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, and of the arrears thereof, and to deliver the same to John Spynylle, by way of reward, without prest or charge to be set upon him, upon the following recital :—"For asmoche as oure "welbeloved servaunt John Spynylle, yoman of the "Corone, hath had and borne grete costis and charges, "in oure service, of his propre goodes from the begyn-"nyng of oure reigne and afore unto this daie withoute "competent recompense or reward to hym yeven for the "same." P. S. No. 914. 1 June.

Grant, for life, to Henry Walker, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown, from 25 Sept. last, payable at the receipt of the Exchequer, in lieu of 6*d.* a day granted to him for life, as his fee of the Crown, out of the fee-farm of the city of Rochester, by patent dated 25 September last, which patent has become invalid by an act of resumption passed in the 2 June.

1486. Parliament held 7 November last. 31 May. P. S. 1 Hen. VII. No. 915. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23).

2 June. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequer, greting. Whereas oure trusty and welbelovyd Bartholomew Reed, of London, goldsmyth, hath of late solde and delivered unto us diverse juelles ammounting in alle to the somme of an hundred and sex poundes thretene shillinges and foure pens, as by a bille conteyning the parcelles and sommes particulerly herein closed more clerly doeth appere, and for the whiche he hath not perceyved of us any payment. We, willing him therof to be content and paied, wol and charge you that withoute dilay, incontynent upon the sighte herof, in redy money, ye paye and content to the forsaid Bartilmew Rede the said cvi. li. xiij. s. iiij. d., withoute preste or othre charge upon him to be charged to the lette or differment of the same. And thise oure lettres shalbe unto you suffissaunt warraunt and discharge anempst us at alle tymes. Yeven undre oure prive seelle, at oure manoir of Shene, the secunde day of Juyn, the furst yere of oure reigne.

Schedule attached.

In primis, an halywater stoper of golde, garnysshed with rubyes and peirlis and a grete saphir, weying xi. unces a quarter; price - xx. li.

Item, a salte of golde lyke a columbyne, weying iiij. unces iij. quarter; price - ix. li.

Item, a tabernacle of oure lady, weying xvii. unces di, garnysshed with a grete baleys and a grete saphir; price - xl. li.

Item, a salte with a beralle, garnysshed with rubies and peirlis, weying v. unces di quarter; price - xvi. li.

Item, a tabelet golde, garnysshed with baleyce and peirlis, weying xiiij. unces di quarter; price - xvii. li.

Item, a floure of golde with a lion, garnysshed with ij. dyamondes and ij. rubies; price - vi. li. xiii. s. iiij. d.

Summa, cvi. li. xiii. s. iiij d.

P. S. No. 916.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Richard Tame, to be one of the alms knights in the college of St. George, Wyndesore Castle. 24 May. P. S. No. 917. Pat. p. 2. m. 3 (25). 1486. 3 June.

Ratification and confirmation of letters patent, 6 Sept., 2 Edw. IV., made pursuant to the following recital:— John Thornbury, escheator of Middlesex temp. Henry VI., had assigned to Joan, widow of Edmund Ingaldesthorpe, knt., out of the possessions left by the said Edmund and taken into the king's hands at his death, 6 Dec., 35 Hen. VI., 111*l.* 0*s.* 2¾*d.* a year, as her dower from an annuity of 500 marks, whereof the said Edmund had been seized in his demesne, as of fee, on the day of his death, payable to her at the Exchequer. She being unable to obtain payment thereof at the Exchequer of King Edward IV. without incurring great charges and expenses, had petitioned him in the matter. Edward IV. granted, by the letters patent now confirmed, for life, to the said Joan 111*l.* 0*s.* 2¾*d.* yearly, for her said dower, out of the subsidy and ulnage of cloths sold in cos. Norfolk, Suffolk, and Essex. 29 March. P. S. No. 918. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24). 3 June.

Grant, for life, to Elizabeth Cornewaille, widow, of one tun of wine yearly, as a gift from the Crown, from the prisage of wines in the port of Bristol, by the hands of the chief butler of England; without accompt. 5 June. P. S. No. 919. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19). 5 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Frost and John Crafforth, jointly and severally, of the office of bailiff of the town of Sandwich, as well by land as by sea. 4 June. P. S. No. 920. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18). 6 June.

Commission to Robert Colman to be purveyor of corn for the bakehouse of the royal household until 6 Nov. next. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18). 6 June.

Grant to Ralph Serle, for the term of his life, of the office of keeper of the park of Hungerford, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Berks., with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 205. 7 June.

1486. 7 June. Grant, in tail male, to Richard Eggecombe, knt. (in consideration of services, as well in the parts beyond the sea as in the kingdom of England), of the castle, honor, and lordship or manor of Totenesse, the lordship and manor of Corneworthy, the manors of Huesshe and Lodeswelle, with their members and appurtenances, and the rent, which belonged to John le Zouche in Huesshe and Lodeswelle, and all the messuages, lands, and tenements belonging to the said John in Totenesse, Corneworthy, Huesshe, and Lodeswelle, and in North Molton, co. Devon (in the fullest manner possible, including wreck of the sea, &c.), all which possessions are in the hands of the Crown owing to the forfeiture of the said John le Zouche, Lord le Zouche, knt.; grant also, in tail male, of the manor of Ridlington, co. Northampton, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, Viscount Lovell; to be held by the ancient services therefore due; without accompt. 26 Feb. P. S. No. 921. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18). 1 Hen. VII.

7 June. Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Eggecombe, knt., of the offices of keeper of the park of Keyrbullok and of the woods within the lordship of Stokesplumlande and Carlestoke, parcel of the duchy of Cornwall, co. Cornwall, with all wages, &c. such as were allowed for the said offices, 51 Edw. III. and 1 Ric. II. 2 June. P. S. No. 922. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18).

7 June. Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Eggecombe, knt., of the office of comptroller of the king's mines of silver within the counties of Devon and Cornwall, with emoluments, such as Robert Court enjoyed in the said office, out of the issues, &c. of the said mines. 2 June. P. S. No. 923. Pat. p. 3. m. 10 (18).

7 June. Exemplification of a patent dated 6 Aug., 20 Edw. IV. (p. 1. m. 3.), confirming the collation and induction made by Philip, prior of Notre Dame la Charité sur Loire, of William Brekenok, as prior of the priory of St. Andrew of Norhampton, *vice* John Holder, deceased; the said priory being a dependency of the convent of Notre Dame la Charité, and accustomed to be governed by

1 Hen. VII. religious (men) of the order of Cluny. Pardon also (under the statute against provisors) to the said William, and confirmation as proctor-general and governor of all cells and priories in England and neighbouring places pertaining to the said house of Notre Dame la Charité, viz. Bermondsey, Wenlok, Norhampton, Pontefract, and Daventry. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2). 1486.

Grant, for life, to Edmund Mille, of the office of one of the rangers within the forest of Dene, co. Glouc., with wages, such as were allowed temp. Edw. III., out of the issues, &c. of the county of Gloucester, by the hands of the sheriff of Gloucester, and all other wages, &c. pertaining thereto. 30 May. P. S. No. 924. Pat. p. 3. m. 14 (14). 7 June.

Lease, for seven years, to Robert Stevens, of the site of the manor of Southam, in co. Glouc., with all houses, lands, &c. thereunto pertaining, together with the live and dead stock there, viz. six oxen, each worth 13*s.* 4*d.*; twenty-six quarters and two measures of corn; twelve quarters of beans and peas; twenty-five quarters and two measures of barley; the crop of two acres, sewn with four measures of vetch; the hay of four acres of meadow; twenty-four acres of fallow land ploughed for wheat; forty-eight acres of fallow land for barley; one wagon with wheels bound in iron, with wooden yoke and other harness for oxen; one harrow with twenty-five iron prongs; two ploughs, with two coulters and other wooden apparatus; one brass caldron, called Danyel, without feet, containing eighteen flagons; two forms, and all the straw and litter accruing there: rendering annually for the same 11*l.* 13*s.* 8*d.*, and 12*d.* of improved rent. The said Robert keeping all the said premises in repair, keeping up the stock, &c., and having sufficient firebote, ploughbote, and harroughbote, and tynes for haybote within the wood of the said manor. L. R. 211[b]. 8 June.

Lease, for seven years, to Hugh Eggerton, of two water-mills under one roof within the lordship of New- 8 June.

1486. castle under Lyne, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, with the fishery within "la damme" of the said mills, rendering annually for the same 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and keeping the said mills in repair at his own cost. L. R. 110[b]. 1 Hen. VII.

8 June. Confirmation to the master and college of "our Blessed "Lady and Alle Halowene of Fodringhay" of all gifts and grants of priories, manors, lands, tenements, rents, reversions, advowsons, and other possessions, with their appurtenances, aliens, and of 40 acres of wood or fuel in the bailiwick of Kinges Clyf, within the forest of Rokingham; and of a tun of red wine yearly for their masses; and of four acres of land, with a limekiln, within Wode Newton; and also of any licences, privileges, franchises, ratification, release, assignation, and confirmation made to them, other than of the manor of Willesford, co. Linc. 4 March. P. S. No. 925.

8 June. General pardon to Thomas Trolhop, of Beaudeley, co. Worc., yeoman. 1 June. P. S. No. 926.

8 June. Safe conduct and special protection, for 10 years, to Michael Sepprello, Marco Stroze, Antonio Corssy, and Aldobrand Tanagly, merchants of Florence, and grant of a variety of privileges and facilities in going from place to place, trading, passing the customs, &c., &c. 28 Feb. P. S. No. 927.

9 June. Grant, for life, to Alexander Bruse (in consideration of good, faithful, and approved services heretofore done by him with great trouble and recent personal service, by command of the king, he sustaining therein great losses, and being unceasing, according to his ability, in the performance thereof, as the king is very certainly informed), of an annuity of 20*l.*, at the receipt of the Exchequer. 27 March. P. S. No. 928.

9 June. Grant to Reginald Bray, knt., and Henry Collette, citizen and alderman of the city of London, of the custody of the manor of Parva Weldon, co. Northampton (in the hands of the Crown owing to the death of Isabella, widow of John Cheyne, esq., who held the same for

1 Hen. VII. term of her life by a grant from King Henry V., the reversion thereof belonging to the Crown), for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 9*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.*, and a yearly improved rent of 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 27. 1486.

Pardon (on the certificate of William Huse, chief justice of the King's Bench,) to Thomas White, late of Bradwey under the Hill, co. Worc., husbandman, of the outlawry proclaimed against him in a plea of debt, before Thomas Bryan and his fellow justices, in the Common Pleas, at the suit of Thomas Wynnam, citizen and woolman, of London. Pat. p. 3. m. 2 (26). 10 June.

Licence for Richard Eggecombe, knt., to beard, clack, and cleanse 100 sacks of wool of Cornish growth, and export the same in one or more vessels, from one or more ports in England, and at one or more times, within the space of two years, through the straits of Marrok. S. B. No. 229. 10 June.

Grant, for life, to Nicholas Gaynesford, esq., one of the ushers of the chamber to the king's most dear consort, Elizabeth, queen of England, of an annuity of 20*l.* sterling (from Easter last) out of the issues, &c. of the county of Kent. 7 June. P. S. No. 929. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25). 10 June.

Rex vicecomiti Norfolciæ et Suffolciæ, salutem. Præcipimus tibi firmiter injungentes quod statim post receptionem præsentium in singulis locis infra ballivam tuam, tam infra libertates quam extra, ubi magis expediens videris ex parte nostra publicas proclamationes fieri facias in hæc verba. For as muche as the king our soveraigne lord, Henry the VIIth, by the grace of God, king of Englond and of Fraunce, and lord of Irlond, hathe credible informacioun that there is like to be open werre had, moved, and stered, as well by water as by lond, betwene hys cousyn Charles of Fraunce on the oon partie, and his cousyne the king of Romannys oone the other partie. Wheruppone great navys of bothe parties bythe in rigging redye to be sette unto the see, wherthurghe 10 June.

1486. hurte and prejudice, by the riottouse demeanyng of the said navyes, myghte sodenly growe unto this his realme and to the subgettes of the same if no remedie wer in that behalf foresene, ordyned, and provyded, which Gode defend. Our said soveraigne lord, not willing any such hurte or prejudice to ensue unto this his said realme, ne unto any of his said subgettes, willeth, chargeth, and straitly commaundith alle and everyche of his said subgettis that they and every of them kepe watche and warde uppone the costes of the see where nede shuld require, and that all bekyns and other tokyns uppone the the same costes be made redie to be sette on fyre, and to warne all his said subgettis to be redie and to comme and defend this his said realme and his said subgettes, if nede be, according to their duteis, in maner and fourme as in old tyme in like case hathe ben used and accustumed. Et hoc sub periculo incumbenti nullatenus omittas. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium, x. die Junii. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19 d). 1 Hen. VII.

10 June. Grant, for life, to Mathew Baker, of the manor or lordship of St. Germayns, in the isle of Jersey, without accompt, by the ancient services therefore due. 1 June. P. S. No. 930. Pat. p. 3. m. 2 (26).

12 June. Grant, for life, to William More, one of the king's yeomen harbingers, of the office of meter of wheat and all other grain within the parish and townships of Stepeney and Bromley, co. Midd. 9 June. P. S. No. 931.

12 June. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Kent, chaplain (in consideration of good and grateful service to the king, as well beyond the sea as on this side), of the free chapel of the Holy Trinity, situate within the park of Rostornell, co. Cornwall, with all rights, rents, fruits, and advantages anciently pertaining thereto, and for the celebration of Divine service therein, as was formerly accustomed in the time of the most Christian and blessed King Hen. VI. and temp. Edw. IV.; to hold, with all profits, &c., receivable at the exchequer of Lostwythiell, out of the issues, &c. of

1 Hen. VII. the duchy of Cornwall. 11 June. P. S. No. 932. Pat. p. 3. m. 2 (26). 1486.

Grant, for life, to John Musgrave, esq., of the keeping of the agistments, annual attachments, and all other profits coming and growing of the farm of the lawnde of Plompton, in the forest of Inglewode, co. Cumb. (from Michaelmas last), at a yearly rent of 42*l.* sterling; grant also of an annuity of 20*l.* out of the issues, &c. of the said agistments, with other the premises. 10 June. P. S. No. 933. Pat. p. 3. m. 2 (26). 12 June.

Congé d'elire to the prior and chapter of Canterbury Cathedral to elect an archbishop, *vice* Thomas, late archbishop of Canterbury, deceased. 8 June. P. S. No. 934. 13 June.

Petition from the prior and chapter of Canterbury Cathedral to the above effect. They send two of their brethren, John Langdon and Thomas Goldstone, to the king to act in their behalf. Dated, Chapter House, Canterbury, 9 April. 13 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Husey, knt., chief justice of the King's Bench, of the manor of Fryeston, co. Linc.; without accompt. S. B. No. 230. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3). 13 June.

Master Walter Barbour is presented to the eighth prebend or canonry within the collegiate church of St. Mary the Virgin, near the castle of Leicester, void by the death of Master John Derman', the last incumbent: in the king's donation by reason of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 133. 14 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Colkot, of the office of bailiff of the hundred of South Molton, co. Devon, with all emoluments, &c., out of the issues of the same hundred, such as John Flogan had in the same office. 11 June. P. S. No. 935. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20). 14 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Welby, of the office of general receiver of the lordships, manors, lands, and tenements which are parcel of the honor of Richemond, within the county of Lincoln, called Richemond Fee, and 14 June.

1486. of the castle, lordship, and manor of Somerton, co. Linc. 1 Hen. VII.
27 Nov. P. S. No. 936. Pat. p. 3. m. 4 (24).

14 June. Grant, for life, to Thomas Otley, clk., of the free chapel of St. John of Dorcestre, co. Dorset, otherwise called the priory of St. John in Dorcestre, with all emoluments &c. belonging thereto. 9 June. P. S. No. 937. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20).

14 June. Grant, for life, to John Wode, esq., of an annuity of 20*l.* (from 22 Aug. last), at the receipt of the Exchequer. 5 June. P. S. No. 938. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20).

15 June. Henry, &c. To our trusty and right welbeloved knyght for our body, Sir Robert Willoughby, lieutenaunt of our forest of Bradon, in our countie of Wiltes, and to his deputies there in his absence, and to al other forsters and kepers of the same, and to every of theym, gretyng. Forsomoche as we have woodes and wast grounde, parcel of our duchie of Lancaster, adjoynaunt unto the same forest, wherein we also have forest and waryn, as by dyvers actes of Parliament more at large may appere; we, not willyng the same to be brokene, wol and charge you all and every of you that ye doo kepe the same as forest and waren, accordyng to the said actes, and that ye doo proclame this our commaundement in the townes and boroughes nygh þerunto, to thentent that inhabitauntes and tenauntes dwellyng therabout may therby be warned to forbere thuse of huntyng therin, and eschew the damage anenst us that theruppon myght grow unto theym. Yeven, &c. at London, the xv. daye of June, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c.

15 June. Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Haute, knt., one of the king's carvers (in consideration of true and faithful service to the king), of an annuity of 40*l.* sterling, from Easter last, out of the issues, &c. of the sokes of Castre, Welton, Avyngham, Skamelsby, and Haveringham, co. Linc. P. S. No. 939. Del. 8 Feb., 1[1] Hen. VII. Enrolled, Pat. 3 Hen. VII. p. 1. m. 15 (12).

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[1] This is evidently a mistake for 3 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. Constat and exemplification (on the oath of John Willyams, gent., that the original letters are lost, and if found shall be restored into the Chancery to be cancelled, and at the request of Edmund, bishop of Rochester,) of letters patent dated 20 July, 25 Hen. VI. (charter, 25 & 26 Hen. VI., No. 22), inspecting and confirming, at the request of the king's confessor, John Lowe, the now bishop of Rochester, the charter below (No. 2), and (in order to remove all doubts as to Saxon terms) explaining and granting to the bishop of Rochester, and his successors, divers rights, privileges, and franchises in the fees of the bishopric, and in the fees of the prior of the church of St. Andrew of Rochester, in the palace of Rochester, in the manors of Hallyng, Borstall, Cokkelston, Trottesclive, Bromlegh, Dertford, Stone, Westmallyng, Ewell, Middelton, and Frekenham, and in all the liberties and fees of the church of Rochester. Further grant of licence to erect and hold for ever one or more wears at Hallyng, or elsewhere, upon their lands, in the river Medweye, provided the same be no hindrance to the navigation. Further licence to hold a market every Thursday in the manor of Bromleye, and a fair in the street there for three days, viz. on the eve, day, and morrow of St. James the Apostle, notwithstanding that another fair is held there on the day and morrow of St. Blaise. Further grant to the convent of the church of St. Andrew of Rochester of the possessions of their house during the voidance of their priory, and immunity from the entry of any of the king's officers into the precincts of their monastery, except in cases of high treason. Provided always, that the above confirmation and grant in no way prejudice the liberties of John, archbishop of Canterbury. 1486. 15 June.

No. 2. Letters patent dated 1 June, 4 Hen. V. (not enrolled), being a constat and exemplification, at the request of Richard, bishop of Rochester, of letters patent dated 3 Oct., 33 Edw. III. (p. 3. m. 19), confirming to the treasurer, bishop of Rochester (for his innumerable

1486. services), the agreement (No. 3), the letters patent (No. 4), 1 Hen. VII.
and allowances before the justices in eyre (No. 5) below, and granting to him his various rights, privileges, and franchises in his manors of Tottisclive, Bromley, Dertford, Stone (warren and other rights in the land of Cobhambury or Cobhambery being excepted), and in all his demesnes and manors, and in all the lands of the priory of Rochester, to wit, in Stok, Frendesbury, Denyngton, Woldeham, and Suthflete.

No. 3. Chirograph made 14 kal. Aug. (19 July), 43 Hen. III., between Boniface, archbishop of Canterbury, and Lawrence, bishop of Rochester, before Richard, king of the Romans, Richard de Clare, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, Hugh le Bygot, justiciar of England, and others, reciting that a dispute had arisen between the archbishop and bishop touching the liberties which the archbishop asserted he had in the fees of the bishop, and further that the archbishop had, in the king's court, exacted military service from the bishop for the fees of his bishopric, and the latter had denied that such service was due. The articles of the present agreement set at rest for ever the said disputed matters, and divers liberties, privileges, and immunities (fully set out) are secured to the bishop, who, in consideration thereof, becomes bound to the archbishop and his successors, for ever, in a yearly rent of 12 marks, one parcel thereof payable at Northwode, co. Midd., and the other at Gillyngham; with liberty, in default of payment, of distraining the bishop in the manor of Troutesclive.

No. 4. Letters patent dated 13 July, 30 Edw. III. (not enrolled), to John, bishop of Rochester, inspecting and confirming the following quo warranto proceedings before the justices in eyre for the county of Kent.

No. 5. Record of the process before John de Berewyk, Thomas Normanvill, William de Bereford, John de Lythegreynes, and Hugh de Cave, justices, at Canterbury, co. Kent, in the quinzaine of Easter, 21 Edw. I., wherein the bishop of Rochester claims certain franchises in his

1 Hen. VII. manors, and in the towns of Trottisclive or Troutesclive, 1486.
and Bromley or Bromleye.

Verdict and judgment for the bishop.

Similar process with regard to certain franchises, which he claims to have of his tenants in Dertford and Stone.

Verdict and judgment for the bishop.

Record and process before Henry de Stanton, William de Ormesby, Henry Spigurner, John de Mutford, and William de Goldyngton, justices, at Canterbury, co. Kent, in the octaves of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist, 6 Edw. II., wherein Thomas, bishop of Rochester, claims to have divers rights and franchises in all the lordships, manors, and lands of his bishopric (certain franchises in Cobhambury being excepted), and in the lands of the priory of Rochester, to wit, in Stok, Frendesbury, Denyngton, Woldeham, and Southflete ; and further the bishop pleads that the said franchises were allowed to one of his predecessors in the eyre of John de Reygate and his fellows, and thereof he puts himself upon the records of the eyre aforesaid.

Judgment for the bishop.

Pat. p. 4. m. 18 (7), 17 (8), 16 (9).

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of 15 June.
Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the reverend fadre in God John, bisshope of Ely, oure chauncellere, greting. We late you wite that, in recompense of the good and true service doone unto us of tyme passed by our right welbeloved subgiettes and servauntes Philip ap Howell and Jane, his wif, somtyme our norice, and heraftre to be doone, we have yeven and graunted unto theim an annuytie or annuell rent of twenty poundes, to be had and perceyed yerely for terme of theire lyves, and of eithre of theyme longer lyving, by the handes of the chambrelain of our eschequier of Carmerdyn for the tyme beeing, at the festes of Michelmas and Estre, by even porcions. Wherfore we wol and charge you that undre our grete seel ye do make herupon our lettres

1486. patentes in due and sufficient fourme. Yeven undre our pryve seel, at our palaice of Westminster, the xiijth day of June, the furst yere of our regne. 13 June. P. S. No. 940. 1 Hen. VII.

15 June. Henry, &c. To al our tenauntes of our lordship of Sutton, parcel of the duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of Lincoln, and to al our liegemen within the same. Forsomoche as we have graunted and leten to ferme, unto our trusty and welbeloved Richard Emson and John Male, our game of swannes and signettes belongyng to us, by reason of our seid duchie, within our seid lordshipe, from the fest of Seynt Myghell tharchaungel last past, for certeyn yeres. We therfor wol and charge you that uppon the sight of thes our lettres ye suffre the seid Richard and John, and either of theym, to take, occupie, and guyde our seid swannes and signettes, by theymself or by their assignetes, [at] al tymes duryng the seid terme; and if any of you have taken or occupied any part of the seid game from the fest of Myghelmas afforeseid, ye deliver or do to be delyvered to the seid Richard and John the same; and that ye and every of you, except the seid Richard and John, and their assignes, from hensforth surcease of any ferther occupyng or entremyttyng with our seid game. Not failyng herof, as ye entende to please us and eschewe the perell that uppon the contrarye may ensue. Yeven the xv. daie of June, the furst yere, &c. L. W. &c.

15 June. Licence to Robert Stowell, esq., and Elizabeth Beerd, widow, and to each one of them, to present, for one turn only, to the hospital and chapel of St. Mary of Rouncidevalle, near Charing Cross, in the suburbs of London, void, and in the hands of the Crown by virtue of an act of resumption passed in the Parliament held at Westminster, 5 March last. S. B. No. 231.

15 June. Grant, for life, to Edward John, of the corrody or sustentation in the monastery of Beaulieu, co. Southampton, which William Browne, one of the king's chaplains, now

1 Hen.VII. holds, but is willing to surrender in favour of the said Edward; with all privileges, emoluments, &c., such as have been enjoyed therewith by the same William. 7 June. P. S. No. 941. 1486.

Grant to the king's full trusty esquire William Case, one of the ushers of the king's chamber (for true and faithful service done to the king), of an annuity of 20 marks sterling, from Michaelmas last, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, out of the issues, &c. of the lands called "Warrewic landes and Salesbury "landes," within the county of Somerset, by the hands of John Hayes, now receiver of the same lands, or any other receiver thereof for the time being. 13 June. P. S. No. 942. 15 June.

Exemption, for life, to Jaspar, duke of Bedford, earl of Pembroke, from payment of any fees, large or small, of the seal, upon any letters patent, charters, original and judicial writs, &c., due to the king or his successors, in whatsoever courts or places the same may be sealed; and acquittance and discharge for the said duke and the keeper of the hanaper from any claim which may be made upon them in relation thereto. 14 June. P. S. No. 943. 16 June.

General pardon to William Berkeley, of Weley, co. Worc., knt., alias of Uley, co. Glouc., knt.; restitution of goods and chattels; power to stand in judgment, and to plead and be impleaded; power to acquire and hold lands, &c. to him and his heirs, notwithstanding that his blood may have been corrupted or disabilities have been created through his having been attainted of treason, felony, &c. 14 June. P. S. No. 944. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19). 16 June.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Upex, of the office of le "grave" of the manor of Wykes, in Donyngton, co. Linc., parcel of the honor of Richemond. 14 June. P. S. No. 945. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23). 16 June.

1486. 16 June. General pardon to John Smyth, alias Barbour, of Warwick, barbour, vynter, &c. 13 June. P. S. No. 946. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19). 1 Hen. VII.

16 June. General pardon to James Tyrell, knt., late of Gipping, co. Suff., knt. 16 June. P. S. No. 947.

16 June. General pardon to William Wellys, of Warewyk, mercer, alias vynter. 14 June. P. S. No. 948. Pat. p. 3. m. 9 (19).

16 June.[1] Denization of John Knarre, born in the parts of Almayn. He is not to intermeddle with trade. 21 Jan. P. S. No. 949. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3).

17 June. Ratification for Cecilia, duchess of York, mother of king Edw. IV., of letters patent dated 1 June, 1 Edw. IV. (p. 4. m. 1), granting and assigning to her, in full compensation of her dowry, &c., inter alia, 25*l.* 12*s.* 8*d.* out of the fee-farm of the town of Andever, co. Southampton; 11*l.* 6*s.* 9¾*d.* out of the fee-farm of the town of Westdepyng, co. Linc.; 4*l.* 17*s.* 4*d.* out of the fee-farm of the city of Chichester, co. Sussex; 70*l.* 17*s.* 10*d.* out of the fee-farm of the town of Wiche, co. Worc.; 100*l.* out of the issues, &c. of the county of York; 50 marks out of the issues, &c. of the forests of Exmore, Rachiche, and Mynedeppe, in the counties of Somerset and Devon; to have and hold, from the 31st of December anterior to the said letters patent, during her life. S. B. No. 232. Pat. p. 4. m. 4 (21).

18 June. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved [ ], we great you wele. And where of late ye hadde oure game and merke of swannes within our lordshipp of Sutton in Holand, in our countie of Lincoln, to ferme, and were bounden to paye yerely therfore a certeyn rent, and to leve the same game and merke in as good caas as ye founde it when your terme cessed, which we now have lette to oure welbeloved servauntes Richard

[1] Enrolled also, under date 16 July, on orig. m. 81.

1 Hen. VII. Emson and John Male, and they have required you to make delyvere therof, accordying to the tenour of your said bonde, and have shewed you how ye resseyved theym by a bille endented bitwene you and the seid John Male made, and that to doo ye refuse, as thei surmitte. We wol therfore and straitly charge you that, uppon the sight of thes our lettres, ye do make to them delyvere of our seid game and merke, as your wryttyng byndith you, so that we be not hurt in the same game and merke by your mysbehavyng, or elles we attaine an accioun ayenst you, as our lawes require in that behalf, and compell you therunto. Not failyng hereof, as ye entend to please us and to avoid the damage and parell of our seid accioun. Yeven, &c. the xviii. daie of June, the furst yere, &c. L. W. &c. 1486.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved servauntes [ ] Nanfan, Peyers Carnarvan, squyers, and Robert Stevens, fermour of our manor of Southam, and to every of theym, gretyng. Howbeit that we of late, by our lettres patentes undre our seale of our duchie of Lancastre, graunted unto our servaunt Pyers Coirwyn (?) thoffice of kepyng of our seid manor, with wages and fees to the same office of kepyng of olde tyme due and accustumed, as in the same our lettres it apperith more at large; we now be enfourmed, by our auditours of our seid duchie, that ther hath bene no such office ne fees there hertofore graunted, used, ne accustumed; that notwithstandyng the seid Pyers, by the colour of our seid graunt, hath entred into our seid manour and taken uppon the hool issues and profittes therof, and also hath made sale of moche wood and tymber within the precinct of the same manour, and as yit takith uppon hym to contynue ye same, to our great damage, hurt, and displeasour. Wherfore we desire and natheles charge you and every of you that ye ne suffre the seid Piers herafter in any wise to entremydle within our seid manour or any part or parcel therof, but that ye, by auctorite of theis our lettres, in our name and on our 18 June.

1486. behalf, discharge hym of any ferther interest therin, as he wol answher unto us at hys perell. Not faylyng herof, as our trust is in you, and as ye entend to please us. Yeven, &c. the 18th daie of June, the furst yere, &c. L. W. &c. 1 Hen. VII.

18 June. Exemption, during pleasure, for the mayor and citizens of the city of York (in consideration of the state of ruin, poverty, and decay they are in, and of the special affection the king bears them), from payment of 60*l.* out of 160*l.* a year, which they are bound to pay as farm by the hands of the sheriffs of the said city. Further grant, during pleasure, to the said mayor and his successors, that he and they shall be chief serjeants-at-arms to the king and his successors, kings of England, with a salary of 18*l.* 5*s.* out of the remaining farm and other issues, &c. of the said city. Further remission, during pleasure, to the said mayor and citizens of all the remainder of the fee-farm above mentioned, and grant that they shall hold their city of the king without accompt and without rendering anything therefore. 12 June. P. S. No. 950.

18 June. Exemption, during pleasure, to the weavers of the city of York from the payment of 10*l.*, which they are bound to pay yearly as farm into the Exchequer. Grant also of licence to hold a guild, customs, and liberties, without accompt, in the same way as citizens in other cities of England do. Exclusive privilege granted to them to make dyed and undyed cloths in the city of York and county of the same. Proviso exempting all weavers without the said city from contributing anything to them. This grant is said to be made on account of the poverty and distress of the said weavers, which is so great that if they were compelled to pay the above-mentioned farm they would be obliged to remove from the city of York and dwell elsewhere. 9 June. P. S. No. 951. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2).

18 June. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and

1 Hen. VII. chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where Richard, late, in dede and not of right, king of England, by vertue of his lettres under his prive seelle to you oure tresourere and chambrelains of oure saide Eschequier direct, in the terme of Saint Michelle, the ij^de yere of his reigne, yave unto Sir Thomas Markynfeld, knight, than ordeigned to be shireff of oure countie of York for that yere ensuyng, the somme of cccxl. li., by wey of reward, by tailles levied at the resceipt of oure saide Eschequiere upone himself, as shiref of oure saide countie, of thissues of the bailifshipe, in recompense of the losses, hurtes, and costes whiche he thenne shulde susteigne and bere in the saide office of shirefwik that yere, as in the saide lettres it is expressed more at large, of the whiche tailles of cccxl. li. we be enfourmed oure tresourere and barons, by the lawe and course of oure Eschequiere, be in will to allowe unto him the moyte therof devyded, whiche is clxx. li., and the other moyte therof, conteignyng other clxx. li., in nowise they wolle allowe, except it appere unto them of oure reward. We, wele remembring that the saide Sir Thomas wele and truly occupied the saide office to thende of the saide yere complete, as well by his first auctorite as by force of oure lettres patentes, to his grete hurte, coste, and damage, without oure grace especialle be shewed unto him in this behalf. We,not willing him to be unpurveyd of resonnable remedie, of oure especialle grace, wolle and charge you that ye resceyve of him or of his deputie the moite of the saide taille of clxx. li., whiche in that fourme canne not be allowed, and it dampne and cancelle in the bokes of recordes of oure said receipte, after the fourme and usage there, and by vertue herof ye do levye and make ane othre taille sufficiently upone the saide Sir Thomas Markinfeld, as late shiref of oure saide countie, of thissues and prouffites of his said office of the same somme of clxx. li. for himself, as late shiref of the same countie, to be taken of us, by wey of our reward, for the cause above saide, and that 1486.

1486. taille so made and levyed sufficiently ye delyvere unto him or to his saide deputie, without prest or charge to be sette upone him for the same in any wise. And thise oure lettres shalbe your warrant sufficient and discharge. Yeven under our prive seelle, at oure paloys of Westminstre, the xviij. day of Juyne, the furste yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 952. 1 Hen. VII.

18 June. Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Tunstall, knt., of the office of steward of the lordship of Kendall, and of all the lands pertaining to the same, within the counties of Westmoreland, York, and Lancaster, with the ancient fees belonging thereto, out of the issues, &c. of the said lordship and lands. 14 June. P. S. No. 953. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20).

18 June. Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Tunstall, knt. (in consideration of good and laudable service to the king), of an annuity of 100*l.* sterling, from Michaelmas last, out of the customs and subsidies in the port of the town of Kingeston upon Hull. 17 June. P. S. No. 954.

19 June. Grant to Sir John Legh, of Bageley, of an annuity of 20 marks, during the king's pleasure, out of the issues and profits of the Peak and the High Peak, in co. Derby. L. R. 108.

19 June. Presentation of Robert Barre to the parish church of Edborton, in the diocese of Chichester, and jurisdiction of Canterbury, *vice* Richard Longe, resigned; addressed to William Prior, of Christchurch, Canterbury, guardian of the spiritualities of the archbishopric during the voidance of the see. Pat. p. 4. m. 13 (12).

19 June. Inspeximus and confirmation, for William, earl of Notingham, of a charter, 28 June, 1 Ric. III. (charter roll, Ric. III. m. 1), creating William, Viscount Berkeley, (lord of Berkeley, sprung from, and one of the undoubted heirs of John, last duke of Norfolk,) earl of Notingham, with succession in tail male, and an annuity of 20*l.* for ever. Pat. p. 4. m. 4 (21).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to John Stanshawe, one of the yeomen of the Crown (in consideration of good and faithful service to the king), of 6*d.* a day for his fee of the Crown (from Michaelmas last). 16 June. P. S. No. 955. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20). 1486. 19 June.

Inspeximus and exemplification, at the instance of Elizabeth Brandon, widow, of the following documents: —(1.) A writ of diem clausit extremum dated 15 Feb., 1 Edw. IV. (Inq. 1 Edw. IV. No. 27), directed to John Grene, escheator of Kent, upon the death of Henry Bruyn, knt. (2.) An inquisition taken thereupon at Bromley, co. Kent, on Saturday, 20 Feb., 1 Edw. IV., before John Grene, the escheator, by the oaths of Richard Nether, Thomas Dawe, John Mydday, William Mydday, John Plegge, John Yorke, Henry Lapworth, Thomas Bedyll, Henry Violet, Robert Blundell, Simon Kechill, and Robert Thorp, setting forth that Henry Bruyn, knt., was seized of the manor of Bekenham, alias Beghenham (fully described), with the advowson of the church thereof, held of the Crown in capite, by the service of one knight's fee; and that he died 30 Nov. last; and that Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Tyrell, esq., aged 17 years, and Alice, wife of John Berners, aged 19 years, are his daughters and heirs. (3.) A writ of diem clausit extremum dated 18 March, 13 Edw. IV. (Inq. 13 Edw. IV. No. 59), directed to John Brode, escheator of Kent, upon the death of Alice, wife of John Hevenyngham, knt. (4.) An inquisition taken thereupon at Bromlegh, co. Kent, 11 Nov., 13 Edw. IV., before John Brode, the elder, the escheator, by the oaths of John Kyere, Thomas Kyng, Simon Kechill, Henry Violet, Alexander Curteys, Stephen Kete, John Plegge, Robert Humfrey, Philip Alexander, Robert Pope, John Dawe Taillour, William Bradfote, and Richard Kyng, setting forth that Alice Hevenyngham was seized of the moiety of the manor of Beghenham, and the moiety of the advowson of the church thereof, held of the Crown in 19 June.

1486. capite, by the service of one fourth part of a knight's fee, and married successively John Berners, esq. (by whom she had issue John Berners), Robert Harleston esq. (by whom she had likewise issue), and John Hevenyngham, knt. (by whom she had issue George Hevenyngham), and that she died 15 Feb., 12 Edw. IV.; and that the said John Hevenyngham now holds the premises; and that the before-mentioned John Berners is her son and next heir, and is of the age of 10 years. Pat. p. 3. m. 5 (23). 1 Hen. VII.

20 June. Lease, for seven years, to Richard Emson and John Malle, of the swans and cygnets within the lordship of Sutton in Holand, in co. Lincoln, at the annual rent of 30*s*. L. R. 140[b].

20 June. Lease, for 13 years, to Sir Edward Hastynges, of the herbage and pannage of the park called Baron Park; the herbage and pannage of the park of Tolowe, and the pool within the same park; the herbage and pannage of the park of la Frith called Bridnestlane, with the pool in the same park, and the pasture called Mykeldale, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Lancaster, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game in the said parks: rendering annually for the herbage and pannage of the Baron Park, 4*l*.; for the herbage and pannage of Tolowe, and the pool there, 60*s*. 8*d*.; for the herbage and pannage of la Frith, 8*l*. 6*s*.; for the farm of the pasture in the park of la Frith, called Bridnestlane, and the pool there, 11*s*.; for the pasture called Mikeldale, 3*s*. L. R. 140[b].

20 June. Master Richard Stratberell is presented to the second prebend in the collegiate church of St. Mary the Virgin, Leicester, void by the resignation of James Stratberell, the last canon or prebendary there; in the king's gift by reason of his duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 133.

20 June. Presentation of William Huet to the parish church of Hammyswell, *vice* Henry Madir, chaplain, deceased; addressed to William, prior of Christchurch, Canterbury,

1 Hen. VII. keeper of the spiritualities of the archbishopric during the voidance of the see. Pat. p. 4. m. 7 (18). 1846.

Grant, in tail male, to the king's faithful and beloved esquire William Middelton, of the manor or lordship of Stoke, co. Sussex: in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of John, late duke of Norfolk, the king's traitor; to hold the same by the services therefore rendered previously to the said forfeiture. 27 Feb. P. S. No. 956. 20 June.

Grant, for life, to Ralph de Pontieu, brigandiner, of the office of brigandiner to the king, with a salary of 10*l.* sterling a year. 24 Dec. P. S. No. 957. 20 June.

The king retains Ralph de Pontieu in his service, for life, as maker of scale armour, with a salary of 10*l.* a year. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19). 20 June.

The king retains William Rabarough as armourer in his service, and grants him 6*d.* a day for his life out of the monies accruing at the receipt of the Exchequer. 28 June. P. S. No. 958. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19). 20 June.

Grant to Richard Smyth ("in consideracioun of the "true and feithfulle service whiche oure welbeloved "Richard Smythe, yoman of the robes withe oure derrest "wif, the quene, hathe doone unto us, and during his lif "entendethe to doo,") of the herbage and pannage of the park of Weggenok, co. Warwick, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, to his own proper use, without yielding or paying anything therefore to the king. 17 June. P. S. No. 959. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9); p. 3. m. 4 (24). 20 June.

General pardon to John Vyntrie, late of Sandewiche, co. Kent, yeoman, alias late of Dover, co. Kent, yeoman. P. S. No. 960. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3). 20 June.

Grant, in tail male, to Robert Willughby, a knight for the king's body and a king's councillor, of the lordship or manor of Castelcary, with appurtenances, co. Somerset, and of all lands, &c. in Castelcary, Southcary, Northcary, 20 June.

1486. Stokegolampton, and Bruton Weyokale, co. Somerset, late belonging to John, Lord Zouche, and forfeited to the king by act of Parliament holden 7 November last; to hold the same, in the fullest manner, of the king by the services anciently due and accustomed. Further grant of the issues, &c. of the said possessions belonging to the king from the said day of forfeiture. 7 March. P. S. No. 961. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23). 1 Hen. VII.

20 June. Confirmation of letters patent dated 2 Oct., 1 Hen. VII., whereby Cecilia, duchess of York, granted to Robert Willoughby, knt., the offices of keeper of the Great Park of Fasterne, and of lieutenant of the forest of Braden, co. Wilts., during her life; and also of other letters patent of the same date, whereby the said duchess appointed the same Robert steward of all her possessions in the county of Wilts. during her life; the reversion of which possessions and offices belongs to the Crown at the death of the said duchess. Further grant of the above matters, for life, to the said Robert, as well after as before the death of the said duchess. Grant also, for life, of the custody of the manor of Fasterne and the park there called le Litill Park of Fasterne, and also of the office of paler of the said Great Park of Fasterne, and of the custody of all the woods and underwoods belonging to the said duchess in the forest of Bradon, the reversion whereof belongs to the Crown at the said duchess's death. 24 Oct. P. S. No. 962.

22 June. Grant to John, earl of Oxford, of the office of keeper of the possessions late belonging to John Griffon, of Braybroke, co. Northampton, esq., deceased, who held of the king in capite by knight's service, during the minority of Nicholas, his son and heir; grant also of the wardship and marriage of the said heir; further grant of all issues, &c. out of the said possessions, without accompt. Clause for continuance of the custody, &c., in the event of the present heir dying a minor, until an heir shall attain majority. 20 March. P. S. No. 963. Pat. p. 4. m. 13 (12).

1 Hen. VII. Inspeximus and confirmation to William Wryxham, clk., the warden, and the brethren and sisters of the hospital of St. Katherine, near the Tower of London, and their successors, of a patent dated 10 Dec., 1 Hen. IV. (p. 8. m. 10), which inspects and confirms a patent dated 23 April, 51 Edw. III. (m. 14), granting for ever to John de Hermestorpe, warden, and the brethren and sisters of the said hospital, towards the enlargement of their garden, a small piece of land adjoining the garden of the same hospital:—which the king's progenitors, heretofore kings of England, had, together with another land, where the ditch around the said Tower is digged, by grant from the then warden, brethren, and sisters of the said hospital, giving in recompense thereof 63*s.* 4*d.* a year, receivable for ever at the Exchequer:—at a yearly rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* to be paid into the Exchequer. Further inspeximus of a patent dated 8 March, 1 Ric. II. (p. 4. m. 20), which inspects a patent dated 20 Sept., 50 Edw. III. (p. 2. m. 31), granting 10*l.* a year out of the issues of the hanaper of the Chancery for the support of a chaplain in addition to the number of chaplains anciently established in the said hospital, for a perpetual chantry of one chaplain to be founded (in pursuance of a solemn vow made by Philippa, late queen of England) in the said hospital, in honour of God and Sts. Fabian and Sebastian, to celebrate Divine service daily for the healthful estate of the king and his children in this life, and their souls after death, and the souls of Isabella, his mother, his late consort, and children, his progenitors, and all the faithful deceased:—until the king shall ordain some other method for the perpetual endowment of the said chantry. Pat. p. 3. m. 5 (23). 1486. 22 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Brereton, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of the offices of bailiff of the lordships of Holywell and Streton, co. Linc., with the keeping of the woods there. 25 April. P. S. No. 964. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20). 23 June.

1486. 23 June. Grant, for life, to Robert Wylne, esq. (in consideration of good and faithful service to the king and his progenitors), of an annuity of 8*l.* sterling, from Easter last, out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Notts. and Derby. 21 June. P. S. No. 965. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23). 1 Hen. VII.

24 June. Lease, for seven years, to William Knyght, one of the valets of the Crown, of the site of the manor of Langestoke, and all things pertaining to the same manor, together with the works called "custome bedereppes" of 12 tenants for three days every autumn, viz. in reaping the corn and meadows; six acres of meadow called Wydemede, together with 116 sheep, worth 16*d.* a piece, kept in stock there for the lord the king; the fishery of the water of Langestoke; the coney warren; the scutage of the tenants by military service, wardships, marriages, &c. being excepted: rendering for the site of the manor annually, 5*l.* 7*s.* 8*d.*; for the fishery, 46*s.* 8*d.*; for the coney warren, 6*s.*; and, in addition to the same, 12*d.* of improved rent. The said William to keep the said premises in repair, the king finding tiles and lime when necessary, sufficient for the said reparations. L. R. 197[b].

24 June. Commission addressed to Richard Barkeley, master of the ship John de Foole; Robert Plummer, master of the ship the Petyr of Wynchelse; and Robert Mores, master of the ship the Heryng, to impress seamen for the service of the said ships. Pat. p. 4. m. 24 d (1 d).

24 June. Grant to William Cheyne, esq., of the custody of the possessions, together with the advowson of the church of Abyngdon, co. Camb., pertaining to the manor of Graunesden, co. Camb., late belonging to Thomas Pygotte, the elder, esq., deceased, who held of the king in capite, by knight's service, viz. of the honor of Bonon, on the day of his death; also grant of the wardship and marriage of Thomas Pygotte, kinsman and heir of the said Thomas Pygotte, the elder, without disparagement; to hold during the minority of the said heir, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown; grant of

1 Hen. VII. all issues, &c. of the premises accruing meanwhile. Clause for continuance of the custody, &c., in the event of the present heir dying a minor, until an heir shall have attained majority; without accompt. S. B. No. 233. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20). 1486.

Memorandum quod xxv. die Junii, anno regni regis Henrici Septimi primo, ista billa liberata fuit domino cancellario Angliæ apud Westmonasterium exequenda. 25 June.

To the kyng our soveraigne lord.

H. R. — In the moste humble and lamentable wise sheweth unto your most noble grace your feithefull poure subget and dayly beedman, John Page, late of your toune and port of Sandewiche, in your countie of Kent. That where as, by infortune of fire, his hows and all the substances of his goodes were late brent at Westlangdon, in the countie of Kent aforsaid, and also hath had grete losses upone the see; by the whiche he is not able ne of substance to fynde hym self, nor to content his dettes, which he ought, withoute ayde and socour of your moste blessid charite. Please it, therfore, you of your most noble and habundaunt grace, to graunte unto your poure beedman your gracious lettrez of almes, in due fourme to be made, accordyng to the tenor herafter ensuyng. And this bille, signed with your gracious hand, may be sufficient warrant to your chauncellar of Englond, withoute any fee payng for the seale of the said lettrez; and he shalle pray to God for the preservacioun of your most noble and royalle astate.

Rex universis et singulis archiepiscopis, episcopis, abbatibus, prioribus, archidiaconis, decanis et eorum officialibus, rectoribus, vicariis ac aliis personis ecclesiasticis quibuscunque, necnon vicecomitibus, majoribus, ballivis, constabulariis, ministris ac aliis fidelibus et subditis nostris, tam infra libertates quam extra, ad quos etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos accipientes dolorosam lamentationem Johannis Page pauperis nostri oratoris de villa Sandewici, ut cum jam tarde domus ædificia 25 June.

1486. ac omnia bona sua, per subitum ignis infortunium, in Westlangdon, totaliter combusta existant et devastata in finalem districtionem ipsius Johannis, per quod ipse non habet unde seipsum sustentare valeat, nisi a Christi fidelibus et Deo devotis, sibi aliunde caritative succurratur; eaque de causa, idem Johannes, ad quascumque partes hujus regni nostri Angliæ pro elemosinis et aliis donis caritativis a Christi fidelibus et Deo devotis petendis et colligendis, nostra mediante licentia divertere se proponat: unde nobis humiliter supplicavit ut ei munificentiam nostram regiam in hac parte graciose dignaremur. Nos, supplicationi prædictæ favorabiliter inclinati, suscepimus ipsum Johannem ad quascumque partes prædictas pro hujusmodi elemosinis et donis caritativis petendis et colligendis se divertendo ibidem morando, et exinde ad propria redeundo, necnon res et bona sua quæcumque in protectionem et defensionem nostras speciales. Et ideo vos prelatos ac alias personas ecclesiasticas requirimus et rogamus quod, cum idem Johannes ad loca vestra pro hujusmodi elemosinis et aliis donis caritativis petendis et colligendis accesserit, ipsum in ecclesiis vestris seu aliis locis benigne recipiatis et ipsum hujusmodi elemosinas et dona caritativa libere petere, colligere et secum asportare favorabiliter permittatis, vobisque vicecomitibus, majoribus, ballivis, constabulariis, ministris et aliis fidelibus nostris prædictis præcipimus et mandamus, quod ipsum Johannem hujusmodi elemosinas et dona caritativa petenda et colligenda, necnon res et bona sua quæcumque manuteneatis protegatis et defendatis. Non inferentes eis, seu eorum alteri inferri permittentes injuriam, molestiam, damnum aut gravamen. Et si quid eis aut eorum alteri forisfactum sive injuriatum fuerit id eis seu et eorum alteri sine dilatione debite corrigi et reformari faciatis. In cujus, etc. per biennium duraturam, etc. Teste. 1 Hen. VII.

25 June. Grant to Gervase Clyfton of the office of approver of la Fennes, within the honor of Bolyngbroke, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Lincoln; to hold during the

1 Hen. VII. king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees and emoluments arising out of the profits of the said Fennes. L. R. 124b. 1486.

Grant to Richard Hawt, esq., John Clopton, esq., Henry Tey, esq., Nicholas Clopton, chaplain, and John Shadwell, clk. (in consideration of 100*l.* paid beforehand), of the custody of the possessions late belonging to Thomas Darcy, esq., who held of the king in capite, during the minority of Roger, his son and heir; grant also of the wardship and marriage of the said Roger. Clause for the continuance of the custody, &c. until an heir shall attain majority, in the event of the present heir dying a minor, and as long as the said lands, &c. are in the king's hands. Further grant of the profits, &c. of the said possessions, on condition that the heir be supported as befits his condition, and the premises be kept in repair, &c. 3 March. P. S. No. 966. 26 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to Nicholas Flynt (upon surrender of letters patent dated 7 Oct. last, granting him the same offices, which are insufficient in law), of the offices of comptroller, changer, and assayer of money, and of the coinage of gold and silver in the Tower of London, and all other places within the kingdom of England and elsewhere, as well within the land of Ireland as the town of Calais, and of die sinker for the said money and coinage (from 7 Oct. last), with wages, emoluments, &c. such as were appointed for the said offices temp. Edw. III., Ric. II., and Hen. VI. 12 June. P. S. No. 967. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21). 27 June.

Licence to Walter Brokehampton and Isabella, his wife, to alienate to William Hertlaund, senior, and his son and heir, William Hertlaund, junior, the third part of the manor of Kyngeshome, near Gloucester. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9). 27 June.

General pardon to Robert Barlowe, late of Warrewike. P. S. No. 968. Pat. p. 3. m. 8 (20). 28 June.

1486. 28 June. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved the steward of our honour and lordship of Bolyngbroke, parcel of our duchie of Lancastre, and in his absence his deputie there, and to either of theym, gretyng. And where as we be enfourmed that oone John Babe, our bondman, late of our lordship, hertofore held certeyn londes and tenements within our seid lordship in bondage, by copye, after the custume of the manour there, which John Babe is now decessed, without heire as it surmitted, bi reason whereof the seid londes and tenements ben come into our handes; we willyng, if it so be, our trusty and welbeloved servaunt Henry Walker, oone of the yomen of the Crowne, for his true service doone unto us, to have the same londes and tenements, to holde by copy, after the custume of our seid lordship. We therefore wol and charge you that in our court there to be holden ye do make graunt unto him, our seid servaunt, by copy, of the seid landes and tenements, to holde to hym and his assignes, after the custume of our seid manour; reserving to us our rentes, services, and custumes therof due and accustumed, and that no entre, or fyne for the same entre into, be pardoned by our commaundement. And thes our lettres shalbe your sufficient warraunt and discharge in that behalf; the xxviii. day of June, the furst yere. L. W. &c. 1 Hen. VII.

29 June. Grant to Reginald Bray, knt., Edmund Shaa, knt. and citizen and alderman of London, and John Shaa, citizen and goldsmith of London, of the custody of the possessions late belonging to John Wrytell, esq., deceased, who held of the king in capite, and which are now in the king's hands owing to the minority of John, his son and heir; grant also of the wardship and marriage of the said heir, without prejudice. Clause for continuance of the custody, &c., in the event of the heir dying a minor, until an heir shall attain majority. 29 March. P. S. No. 969. Pat. p. 3. m. 5 (23).

1 Hen. VII. Lease, for seven years, to John Wylly, of Choshill, in co. Norfolk, of the site of the manor of Snettesham, in the said county, with all houses and le shipcote there; all lands, tenements, meadows, feedings, and pastures, together with the liberty of foldage; the profits of conies within the king's warren there, with all such lands and escheats as Sir John Tyrell and Robert Wylly held at farm, &c.: rendering annually for the same 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*, and 2*s.* of improved rent. L. R. 157. 1486. 29 June.

Grant, during pleasure, to Hugh Blakmere, of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Patyngeham, co. Staff. P. S. No. 970. Pat. p. 3. m. 3 (25). 29 June.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Bourton, "yoman of the "stole unto oure derrest wif, the quene," of the office of keeper of the park called Woodale, co. York, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Middelham. 4 June. P. S. No. 971. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2). 29 June.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where of late oure trusty and welbeloved servaunt Thomas Lytley, late oone of the custumers of the subsidie of iii. s. of the tonne and xii. d. of the lb. in oure poort of London, by oure commaundement by mouthe, hathe spent and employed upone certaine reparacions and bildinges within oure place called Cold Harburghe, in oure citie of London aforesaid, the somme of iiij^{xx}viij. li. xviij. s. ij. d., as in a boke of parcelles concernyng the saide reparaciones dothe appiere. And where also Romanet Brysard, merchaunt straunger, hathe delivered to us and to oure use, amonges othre, asmoche Gascoigne wyne as amounted in value to viij. li. vj. d., the whiche somme we have of him in lieu of somoche money to us in oure poort aforesaide for subsidie of liij. tonne and oone pipe of wyne due and in the charge of the forsaide Thomas Lytley and of Thomas Fuller, the othre custumer of oure subsidie abovesaid, whiche sommes ammounten in alle to the

1486. somme of iiij^{xx}xvj. li. xviij. s. viij. d. We, considering the premisses, wol and charge you that ye withoute delaye, atte the recepte of oure saide Eschequier, doo levie oone taille of the forsaide iiij^{xx}xvj. li. xviij. s. viij. d. upone the forsaide Thomas Lytley and Thomas Fuller, in due fourme, as late collectours of oure subsidie in oure poort of London aforsaid, and for the saide late collectours, for the causes and consideracions abovesaide, withoute prest or othre charge to be sette upone theim for the same. And thies oure lettres shalbe unto you sufficient warrant and discharge in that behalf. Yeven undre oure pryve sealle, atte oure paloys of Westminstre, the xxix^{ti} daye of Juyne, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 972. 1 Hen. VII.

29 June. Pro mercatoribus Hansæ de confirmatione.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Inspeximus litteras patentes domini Edwardi nuper regis Angliæ Quarti factas in hæc verba. Edwardus, Dei gratia rex Angliæ et Franciæ et dominus Hiberniæ, omnibus ad quos præsentes litteræ pervenerint, salutem. Sciatis quod nos considerantes qualiter grandia damna mercatoribus Hansæ Theutonicæ ipsis, videlicet qui Gildam aulam Theutonicam in Londonia habuerunt, per subditos coronæ nostræ Angliæ fuerunt illata. Nosque volentes omnia odia et displicentias quæ versus subditos nostros gerunt extirpari et aboleri, in satisfactionem et recompensationem damnorum illorum, de gratia nostra speciali ac ex certa scientia et mero motu nostris, concedimus et licentiam dedimus mercatoribus Hansæ Theutonicæ qui Gildam aulam prædictam in civitate Londoniæ prædicta habent, vel habebunt, et de Gilda ejusdem aulæ extiterint, quod ipsi mercatores de Gilda illa existentes omnia et omnimoda mercandisas et mercimonia sua conjunctim et separatim a quibuscumque partibus exteris in regnum nostrum Angliæ adducere, et ibidem ad terram ponere, et alia mercandisas et mercimonia sua, et eorum cujuslibet et quorumlibet

1 Hen. VII. mercandisas stapulæ non existentes in quocumque portu regni nostri Angliæ, in quibuscumque navibus vel vasis ponere eskippare, et ad partes exteras traducere poterint, quorum omnium mercandisarum sic adducendarum vel educendarum custumæ subsidia juxta earundem ratam et quantitatem custumarum et subsidiorum tantum, et non ultra qualia custumas et subsidia mercatores Hansæ prædictæ, nobis aut progenitoribus sive prædecessoribus nostris, ad minus ante annum quintum regni nostri solverunt aut solvere consueverunt, pro custumis et subsidiis mercandisarum suarum, ad summam decem millium librarum in toto se attingent, absque aliquibus custumis et subsidiis nobis aut hæredibus nostris, aut aliquibus collectoribus, sive custumariis, sive aliis officiariis, et ministris nostris solvendis aut habendis, et absque impetitione nostri hæredum officiariorum et ministrorum nostrorum quorumcumque, per indenturas de tempore in tempus inter mercatores prædictos, sive eorum aliquos, vel aliquem et collectores et custumarios custumarum et subsidiorum in portubus sive portu, in quos vel quem mercandisæ et mercimonia illa sic adducta fuerint et extra quos vel quem hujusmodi mercandisæ et mercimonia ad partes exteras traducentur hujusmodi adductiones et traductiones testificantes, per quarum quidem indenturarum alteram partem volumus, ipsos collectores et custumarios et eorum quemlibet de omnibus custumis et subsidiis mercandisarum et mercimoniorum prædictorum erga nos et hæredes nostros exonerari et acquietari. Et insuper volumus et concedimus præfatis mercatoribus quod ipsi, sive eorum aliqui, custumas et subsidia prædicta, juxta ratam et quantitatem prædictas, ad summam decem milium librarum attingentia, in manibus suis propriis habeant et retineant, absque compoto seu aliquo alio nobis inde reddendo seu solvendo, et quod ipsi mercatores de omnibus aliis summis quæ ab ipsis de custumis et subsidiis prædictis ultra ratam et quantitatem prædictas 1486.

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runt, quovismodo erga nos et hæredes nostros exonerentur et acquietentur ac eorum quilibet exoneretur et acquietetur. Proviso semper quod nullus alius præterquam mercatores de Hansa prædicta de Gilda prædicta existentes, et pro tempore quo de Gilda illa fuerint beneficium aliquod prætextu harum litterarum nostrarum patentium habeat et optineat, aut sortiatur ullo modo, et quod nullus mercatorum illorum advocet aliquos sive aliquem fore mercatores sive mercatorem de Hansa prædicta et de Gilda prædicta, qui non fuerint aut non fuerit de eadem Gilda. Aliquo statuto actu ordinatione sive restrictione seu alia causa quacumque, ante hæc tempora facto, edito seu proviso in aliquo non obstante. In cujus rei testimonium has litteras nostras fieri fecimus patentes. Teste me ipso apud Westmonasterium, quartodecimo die Decembris, anno regni nostri quartodecimo. Nos autem litteras prædictas ac omnia et singula in eisdem contenta rata habentes et grata ea pro nobis et hæredibus nostris quantum in nobis est acceptamus et approbamus, ac præfatis mercatoribus Hansæ prædictæ et eorum successoribus, tenore præsentium, ratificamus et confirmamus, prout litteræ prædictæ rationabiliter testantur. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium, xxix. die Junii.

Pro decem libris solutis in hanaperio. Fr. m. (11) 5.

30 June. Appointment, during pleasure, of Thomas Wode as one of the king's serjeants-at-law. 27 June. P. S. No. 973.

30 June. Appointment of John Fisshere as one of the king's serjeants-at-law during good behaviour. S. B. No. 234. Pat. p. 4. m. 12 (13).

30 June. Grant, for life, to Joan, late wife of John Dynham, knt., of four tuns of red wine a year out of the prisage of wines happening in the ports of Dertmouth, Plymouth, and Exeter, co. Devon, or in either one of them, by the

1 Hen. VII. hands of the chief butler of England or his deputy for the time being, the said Joan paying only for the same the shipping and freightage of the said wines; without accompt. 29 June. P. S. No. 974. 1486.

Grant, for life, to Roger Coton, knt., of the offices of constable and steward of the lordship, castle, or honor of Clare, and the custody of the park there, whenever the same shall come to the Crown by the surrender or death of Cecilia, duchess of York. The preamble states that the said duchess has granted the same, during her life, to a servant of hers, and that at her death the reversion thereof belongs to the Crown. S. B. No. 235. — June.

Grant to Nicholas Knyfton of the office of receiver of the honor of Tikhill, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold, during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees and wages thereunto belonging, to be perceived out of the revenues of the said honor. L. R. 65b. 1 July.

Presentation of Robert Bourstede, chaplain, to the parish of Artereth, Carlisle dioc., *vice* John Tempyll, clk., deceased. Pat. p. 4. m. 4 (21). 1 July.

Grant, for life, to James Carre, of the office of keeper of the park of Capilbank, within the lordship of Middelham, co. York, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the lordship of Middelham. 31 May. P. S. No. 975. 1 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to Master Martin Jooyce, of the office of receiver-general of the castle and lordship of Guysnes, in the parts of Picardy, with all issues, profits, &c. belonging to same. Further grant of wages, &c. from 6 April last, since when the said Jooyce has performed the duties of the said office, and given his attendance in that and other service of the king's, to the king's satisfaction, without receiving pay. 24 May. P. S. No. 976. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21). 1 July.

Grant, in survivorship, to Thomas Stoughton, gent., and John Bagger, of the office of bailiff of Surrey, otherwise called "Bagshotes Baillys," in the forest of 1 July.

1486. Windesore, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Oxon. and Berks. S. B. No. 236. 1 Hen. VII.

3 July.[1] Articles agreed upon (after various meetings in June and July) between commissioners appointed on behalf of James, king of the Scots, and Henry VII., king of England, to arrange a treaty between the two countries for a period of three years. The names of the Scotch Commissioners are William, bishop of Aberdeen, John, Lord Bothvil, John, Lord Kennydy, knights; Robert, abbot of the monastery of Holy Cross, near Edinburgh; Archibald Quhitelaw, archdeacon of Lothian, secretary; and John Roos, of Montgrenane. The names of the English commissioners are John, bishop of Worcester, John, bishop of Lincoln, Friar John Westoun, prior of the order of St. John Jerusalem in England, and John, Lord of Dynham, knights; Thomas Lovell, treasurer of the king's chamber; and Master Henry Aynesworth, LL.D., canon of Lincoln, and secondary in the office of the Privy Seal.

Letters patent appointing the above-mentioned commissioners on behalf of Scotland, dated at Edinburgh, 6 May 1486.

Letters patent appointing the above-mentioned commissioners on behalf of England, dated at Westminster, 2 July 1486.

This copy of the articles is signed by William Aberdeen, John, Lord Bothville, John, Lord Kenydy, R., abbot of Holy Cross, Archibald Quhitelaw, John Roos. Ex. Autogr.

3 July. Grant to William Tyler, knt., of the office of keeper of the king's jewels. 29 June. P. S. No. 977. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2).

4 July. Grant to Thomas Ormond, knt., earl of Ormond, and his heirs for ever, of view of frankpledge, assize of bread, wine, and beer, &c., which pertain to the office of clerk of the market of the king's household, with the

[1] These articles were ratified and confirmed by James, king of the Scots, on the 24th Oct. 1486. See also Rymer, vol. xii. pp. 285, 316.

1 Hen. VII. punishment of the same, in the lordships or manors of Oldeswynford and Sterebrugge, Cradeley and Hagley, co. Worc., at a yearly rent of 2*s.*; also of all waifs and strays "maynour," goods and chattels of felons therein; also exemption from various kinds of process, &c.; also licence to hold a market on Friday in every week at the lordship or manor of Sterebrugge, and two fairs in each year, one on the feast of St. Edward, king and confessor, and the other on the feast of St. Augustine, and to have all the privileges thereof—a court of piepowder, all tolls, customs, &c., &c. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19). 1486.

Lease, for 20 years, to John Holgrave, of a certain tenement called le Floure de Luyce, and four cottages to the same adjoining, together with a garden, in the parishes of St. Marie atte Strond and St. Clement's, without the Bar of the New Temple, London, near "le "Herte's Horne," which said tenement William Martin lately had and inhabited, rendering annually for the same 13*s.* 10*d.*, and 6*s.* 2*d.* of improved rent. The said John to keep the said premises in repair, with the store there, viz. two leaden vases, called Bruyngledes, in the said tenements called Floure de Luyce. L. R. 183. 5 July.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved the master of our game and kepers of our parkes of Myntyng and Kyrkeby, parcell of our duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of Lincoln, and in their absence to their deputies there, and to every of theym, gretyng. We wol and charge you that, unto our trusty and welbeloved servaunt [ ] Ratclif, receivour of our honour of Bolyngbroke, parcell of our seid duchie, or to the brynger herof in his name, ye delyver or do to be delyvered such as many okes covenable for tymber as by hym and theire carpenters of our werkes there thought necessarye for the reparacion of our castill of Bolyngbroke, the manors of Getham and Bechford, and of our mylnes of Stepyngdonyngton and Bolyngbroke afforeseid, to be 5 July.

1486. had and taken, by the oversight of you, within our seid park; eny restreynt or commaundement yeven or made to the contrary herof in any wise notwithstandyng. And thes oure lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge anenst us at al tymes in that behalf. Yeven, &c. the fyft day of Jule, the furst yere, &c. 1 Hen. VII.

5 July. Appointment of the king's most dear uncle Jaspar duke of Bedford; Thomas, marquis of Dorset; John, earl of Lincoln; John, earl of Oxford; Thomas, earl of Derby; and William, earl of Notyngham; John, viscount of Wellys; and Edward, viscount of Lisle; Hugh Bryce, mayor of the city of London; John Audeley, of Audeley, knt.; John Denham, of Denham, knt.; Thomas West, of la Ware, knt.; William Huse, knt.; Thomas Bryan, knt.; Humfrey Starkey, knt.; Guy Fayrefax, knt.; John Catesby, knt.; John Sulyard, knt.; Roger Tounes-hend, knt.; and Thomas Fitzwillyam, knt., as justices of oyer and terminer of all treasons, murders, insurrections, rebellions, felonies, conspiracies, contempts, negligences, impeachments, trespasses, gatherings, riots, riotings, and unlawful assemblings in the city and suburbs of London. S. B. No. 237. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 d (21 d).

5 July. Grant, in tail male, to William Norrys, knt., of the manor of Radenhalle, co. Norfolk, alias Radenham Halle, with all things pertaining thereto, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of William Catesby, esq., by the service of a knight's fee, in as ample a manner as the same William Catesby held the same. 28 June. P. S. No. 978. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23).

6 July. Grant, for life, to Thomas Arundell, knt., Lord Matravers, of an annuity of 300 marks: 200 out of the subsidy of tonnage and poundage in the port of London, and 100 out of the customs and subsidies of wools and skins, and of the petty custom and the subsidy of tonnage and poundage in the port of Southampton. 8 March. P. S. No. 979. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2).

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Master John Broune, one of the masters in Chancery, of the hospital of St. John the Baptist, or the free chapel near the town of Stafford, called the chapel of St. John, void, and in the gift of the Crown. 3 July. P. S. No. 980. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9). 1486. 6 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Wood, one of the yeomen of the Crown, of an annuity of 10*l.* out of the customs of the ports of Exeter and Dertmouth. Pat. p. 4. m. 8 (17). 6 July.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and right welbeloved Rys ap Thomas, oone of the knyghtes for our body, our trusty and welbeloved Morice ap Owen, stuard of our lordship of Kydwelley, with the membres, parcell of our dutchie of Lancaster, in Wales, Griffith Rede, our receivour of the same, and to every of theym, gretyng. Wheras there is due unto us by our tenauntes and reseauntes within our seid lordship certyn sommes of money for our knowlege, at our furst entre unto our Crowne, like as our noble progenitours, kynges of this our reame, in tymes past, have had of theym at their furst entre. We have ordeyned and assigned you and every of you, jointly and severally, and by thes presentz geve you full power and auctorite, to calle bifore you al our seid tenauntes and reseauntz within our seid lordship, with the membres, and to take of theym, for us and in our name, the graunt of our seid knowlege, and also to assigne and appoynt the dayes of payement therof, takyng sufficient suertie for the same, as hath been used there in tymes past. And over that we wol and charge you, our seid receivour, that ye endeavour you in levying, aswel of our seid knowlege of money as of such rentes and fermes for the half yere ended at Myghelmas last past, and of al other issues and revenues growen sithen, and due unto us, within your seid receipt, sendyng up the same to our receivour-general of our seid duchie as hastly as ye may welle. And of any persoune or persounes denyen to make payement of our seid duties, that than ye 7 July.

1486. certifie us, or our chauncellour of our seid duchie, of their names, to thentent that we may provide for their lawful ponysshment in that behalf, so that be found no default in you concernyng the premyssez. Not failyng herof, as our trust is in you, and as ye entend to please us and eschewe the contrary. Yeven, &c. at London, the vii. day of Jully, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

7 July. Inspeximus and confirmation for Elizabeth, the now abbess, and the convent of Sion, of—(1.) A patent dated 8 Feb., 4 Edw. IV. (p. 4. m. 20), which inspects and confirms the patent (2) and act of Parliament (3) (set out below), and in consideration that Pope Martin V., at the instance of Hen. VI., had confirmed the above monastery in the rules of the aforesaid order (whilom approved and confirmed by Urban VI., and Balthasar, bishop of Tusculum, then Pope John XXIII.) ratifies the bulls of those popes, and confirms the monastery of Sion in all its rules, institutions, and indulgences, reserving, however, to the king's subjects all title they may have in the possessions of the aforesaid monastery, and to the mayor, &c. of London the scrutiny, survey, and correction in the water of the Thames. (2.) A patent dated 16 Dec., 1 Edw. IV. (p. 5. m. 14), which, to the intent that prayers and masses may be said for the healthful estate and souls of the king, the king's mother Cecil, and father Richard, duke of York, ratifies and confirms to Elizabeth, the now abbess, and the monastery of Sion (founded at Istilworth, co. Midd., in honor of St. Saviour, the Holy Virgin Mary, and St. Bridget), all letters, bulls, and acts of Parliament concerning the ordination, foundation, erection, and reformation of the same convent, according to the rules of the order of St. Augustine called St. Saviour's, to consist of 60 nuns (whereof one is to be abbess) and 25 religious men (whereof 13 are to be priests, four deacons, and eight laymen); and which further grants and confirms to them the following possessions,—the manor of Istilworth, co.

1 Hen. VII. Midd.; a fishery called Routewere, within the banks of the Thames, near the said manor; a wear near Kyngeston upon Thames, called Hammewere, co. Surrey; a parcel of meadow adjoining to the said wear as it is inclosed by the water of the Thames and by dykes; a dovecote, and parcel of land adjoining thereto, in Petrisham, co. Surrey; a dovecote, and parcel of land adjoining thereto, in Hamme; the manor of Worton, and all lands, &c. called Worton, in Istilworth, which Alice, late wife of Edmund Fauconer, deceased, held for life by a grant from Edw. III.; the manor of Grauncortes, co. Essex; a messuage, and a carucate and two virgates of land, and divers acres of meadow, wood, &c., 18s. rent, and pasturage for 100 sheep, in Istilworth, Twykenham, Worton, and Heston, co. Midd.; the manor of Hynton, with appurtenances called Uphall, co. Camb., and all other the lands, &c. which Henry Fitzhugh, deceased, held in the towns of Hynton and Great and Little Wilburgham, co. Camb.; the priory of St. Michael's Mount, co. Cornwall, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of Mont St. Michel, and all lands, &c. in the county of Cornwall to the said abbey pertaining; the priory of Oterton or Oderton, alias Oderyngton, co. Devon, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of Mont St. Michel, and a certain portion in the church of Martok, co. Somerset, and all possessions in the counties of Devon and Somerset, to the priory of Oterton or abbey of Mont St. Michel once belonging; the priory of St. Mary of Lancaster, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of Séez, and all possessions in the counties of Lancaster, Sussex, and Lincoln, and elsewhere in England, to the priory of St. Mary of Lancaster or to the abbey of Séez once belonging; the priory of Lodres or Loddres, co. Dorset, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of Mountburgh, and all possessions in the counties of Devon and Dorset once pertaining thereto; the manors of Cheltenham and Sloughtre, co. Glouc., and the hundreds of Cheltenham, 1486.

1486. Sloughtre, and Salmondesbury, co. Glouc.; the manors of Stenynges, Brede, and Wormynghurst, co. Sussex, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of Fécamp, and all lands, &c. in the counties of Gloucester and Sussex, the city of London, or kingdom of England, to the abbey of Fécamp once belonging; the manor or manors, rectories, or churches of Chilham Molessh, alias Molas, and Trewlegh, alias Treveley, alias Treuley, co. Kent, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of St. Bertin de St. Omer, with all possessions in the towns of Chilham, Molessh, and Trewlegh, co. Kent, to the said abbey once pertaining; the manor and rectory or church of Felstede, co. Essex, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of Caen, and all lands in the town of Felstede to the said abbey once belonging; the manor of Tyleshide, co. Wilts., once parcel of the possessions of the said alien abbey of Caen, and all possessions in Spaldyng and Pynchebeke, co. Linc., parcel of the alien priory of Cosham; also the possessions of the alien abbey of St. Nicolas of Angers, in Spaldyng and Pynchebek, co. Linc.; all manner of fruits arising from the church of Cosham, co. Wilts., to the alien abbey of Marmoutier-les-Tours once pertaining; the reversion of the manor of Michelhampton, co. Glouc., alias Mynchynhampton, once parcel of the possessions of the alien abbey of Caen, which Alice, duchess of Suffolk, now holds for life, the reversion thereof belonging to the Crown; a messuage in Heneford, co. Somerset, and two acres of land in, with the advowson of the church of the town of, Yevele, co. Somerset; the advowsons of the churches of St. Clement and All Saints in the town of Hastynges, of the church of the town of St. Brede, and of St. Leonard in Yham, and of the hospital of Playdon, co. Sussex, to the said abbey of Fécamp once pertaining; the advowsons of the churches of the town of Gates, co. Sussex, Fyssheburne, co. Sussex, Navenby, co. Linc., and Botheby, co. Linc., to the said abbey of Seez once belong- 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. ing; the advowsons of the churches of Crofton, Ecclesdon, and Hyesham, co. Lanc., to the said priory of Lancaster formerly belonging. Further grant, in frankalmoign, of four tuns of wine annually at the port of London. (3.) An act of the Parliament held at Westminster, 2 May, 9 Hen. V., setting forth that in the Parliament held at Westminster on Monday next after the feast of St. Matthew the Apostle, 11 Edw. III., it was accorded that the eldest sons (being next heirs to the Crown) of the kings of England should be dukes of Cornewaill, and that the county of Cornewaille should for ever remain a duchy for that purpose, whereupon Edw. III., by his charter of 17 March then next following (11 Edw. III. No. 60), gave to his eldest son Edward, then earl of Chestre, the title of duke of Cornewaille, and united to the duchy of Cornewaille divers castles, manors, and other possessions, amongst which was the reversion of the manor of Istilworth, co. Midd., then held by Queen Philippa, for life. The present act disunites from the duchy the said manor of Istilworth and its appurtenances, and grants them in pure and perpetual alms to the abbess and convent of St. Saviour, the Holy Virgin Mary, and St. Bridget of Sion, of the order of St. Augustine called St. Saviour, by the said king lately founded in Istilworth, co. Midd., and ordains that a grant shall pass the great seal to that effect; and in recompense the reversions (on the death of John Typtoft, knt.) of the following possessions are united to the said duchy,—the manors of Corimalet, Stoke Underhampton, Milton, Fauconberge, Stratton Upfosse, Inglescombe, Norton cum Welweton, Widecome, Farenton, and Lanerton, and the moiety of the manors of Westharpetre and Shepton Malet, with their appurtances, co. Somerset, the manor of Ryme, co. Dorset; the moiety of the manor of Maydencote, co. Berks, and of Magor, in the marches of Wales; the fourth part of the manor of Sellenges, co. Kent; the advowsons of the churches of Corimalet, Stratton up Fosse, and of the 1486.

1486. chantry with the free chapel of Stoke Underhampton, and of the free chapel of Ryme, and of the moiety of the church of Sapton Malet, cos. Somerset and Dorset. Pat. p. 4. m. 15 (10), 14 (11). 1 Hen. VII.

7 July. Protection, for one year, to William, archbishop of St. Andrew's, Robert, bishop of Glasgow, William, bishop of Aberdeen, Henry, abbot of Cambuskenneth, Master David Ceton, Master Michael Straton, Master David Bram, Master Alexander Elphynstone, Master John Bagenothe, Thomas Myrtone, Robert Wellys, Charles Blakater, Robert Bleyndshelys, John Wormat, William Elphynstone, and Adam Forman, with 60 persons in their company, coming from Scotland into England. Licence also granted them to go to and fro between England and Scotland as often as they shall like, make such stay as may be agreeable to them, &c., during the time limited by this protection. S. B. No. 238.

7 July. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved John Twyselton, gretyng. Latyng you wite that, afore this tyme, we directed our other lettres of pryvy seale unto you, wherby we shewed that our trusty and welbeloved servaunt John Carre offered us more money of increase for the ferme of tharbage and pannage of Gradelyng Parc, which ye late toke of us in ferme, than ye now geve by xx. s. Wherfore we wylled you, by the seid our wryttyn, to appere bifore our chauncellour and counsell of our duchie of Lancastre, at our paloys of Westminster, at a certeyn daye to you prefixed in the same, to shewe whider ye wolde yeve somoch therfore, or no. It is now dowted, by our seid servaunt, whither our othre lettres be or shalbe within the tyme prefixed delyvered to you or not; wherfore we wol, by this our writtyng, that if our seid other lettres be not delyvered to you, that ye appere before our chauncellour at our palois of Westminster, in the troys semaignes of Seint Michell tharchaungel next commyng, or ells that ye do ordeyne such one to be your deputie as canne and wol answer for

1 Hen. VII. you, and serve your mynde in or uppon the premissez, uppon your awne perel. Yeven, &c. the vii. day of Jule, the furst yere, &c. L. W. &c. 1486.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved N. Leventhorpe, receivour of our honours and lordshipps of Pountfret and Knaresburgh, parcell of our duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of York, and, in his absence, to his deputie there, and to every of theym, gretyng. Latyng you wit that, for the sure and sauf kepyng and defense of our town and castell of Berwyk, and merchis of this our reame adjoynaunt unto Scotland in thies parties, and for the contentacioun and payment of the wages of the souldiers and others sett and ordeyned in and for the same, we have assigned, at this season, the somme of xxx. li. of thissues of your receipt of this half yere at Estur last past commone and growen of our seid honour of Pountfrett, and the somme of iiij^{xx}xii. li. of thissues of your said receipt of the seid terme commone and growen of our said honour of Knaresburgh, to be delyvered unto our right entirly beloved cosyn therle of Northumberland, warden of our seid marches, and by hym to be employed uppone the seid kepyng, defense, and payment of the same wages. Wherfore we wol and straitly charge you that, incontinent uppone sight of thes our lettres, all excuses and other assigmentes sett appart, ye content and paye unto our seid cosyn, or unto the brynger herof in his name, the seid sommes of money, receivyng lettres for the same, which and thes our lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge anenst us for your allowaunce uppone your accomptz to be yolden in that behalf. Not faylyng herof, as ye entend to please us, and to contynue in your seid office and favour of our grace. Yeven, &c. the vii. daye of Julle, the furst yere, &c. L. W. &c. 7 July.

Grant (for the sum of 40*l.*) to Sir Robert Willoughby, of the custody of all the manors, lands, &c. which belonged to John Keynell, deceased, and which, by reason 8 July.

1486. of the minor age of Margaret and Elizabeth, cousins and heirs of the said John, are in the king's hands, together with the custody and marriage of the said heirs; to hold until the said heirs be of full age. L. R. 188[b]. 1 Hen. VII.

8 July. Grant, for life, to Thomas Basshe, of the offices of rider of the forest of Dene, co. Glouc., and ale taster within the parish of Newland in the same forest, and, during pleasure, of bailiff of the hundreds of Wesebury and Botlowe, co. Glouc., with wages, &c. as ample as Richard Hyett heretofore enjoyed. 6 July. P. S. No. 981. Pat. p. 3. m. 7. (21).

8 July. Pardon and release to Thomas Grey de Wylton, co. Hereford, esq., alias, &c., of all treasons and other crimes whereof he may have attainted by authority of Parliament or otherwise, and from all penalties attaching thereto. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21).

8 July. Grant, for life, to Walter Havard, of the office of clerk of all returns of writs made or to be made within the castle and city of York and elsewhere within the county of York. S. B. No. 239.

8 July. Grant, for life, to Henry Jewet, of the offices of one of the foresters of Windsor Forest, called the "ryding "forster," and of parker of Sunnyng Park, alias Sunnyng-hill, within Windsor Forest, with wages of 3*d.* a day as forester, and 4*d.* a day as parker, out of the issues of Windsor Castle; the wages to date from 22 Aug. last. 15 March. P. S. No. 982. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2).

8 July Pardon and release to Stephen Ingham, merchant, of and from all matters contained in an information laid against him at the Exchequer by John Llewellyn, a searcher in the port of London, on the 24th May last, accusing him of having shipped as his own goods in the port of London 89 woollen cloths called bastard whites belonging to one Michell Grete, to go to foreign parts, thereby intending to defraud the revenue of the customs

1 Hen. VII. due upon goods shipped by a merchant stranger. He has put in an appearance, and pleaded that the goods were his own from 11 May last. He has also, with John Herford, of the parish of our Lady Fanncherche of London, baker, William Malom, smith, and Robert Preston, gentleman, of the same parish, and Thomas Blake, of the parish of our Lady at Hill, in London, salter, acknowledged a bond of 160*l.* to owe to the king 160*l.*, the conditions whereof are framed to meet all the requirements of the case against him. 1486.

Pardon and release to John Kymbere, one of the custumers or collectors of the great and petty custom, of the subsidy of wools, &c., and of the subsidy of 3*s.* from the ton and 12*d.* from the pound, to Edw. IV., in the port of the town of Pole, and the ports and creeks thereto adjoining; alias one of the custumers or collectors to Richard III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England; alias one of the custumers or collectors to Hen. VII.; alias late of Bristol, merchant; alias of Pole, merchant, &c., for all manner of offences committed whilst exercising the offices above mentioned, and from all the penalties attaching thereto. 7 July. P. S. No. 983. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6). 8 July.

Grant, for life, to William Smythe, of "a place or tene- 8 July.
"ment with thappurtenaunces within our towne of
"Notingham, whiche Richard, late, in dede and not of
"righte, king of this oure reaume of England, boughte
"and purchaced of oone William Knetone;" without accompt. The said premises are to be kept in repair. 30 May. P. S. No. 984. Pat. p. 4. m. 2 (23).

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England, and of 9 July.
Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where ye, oure said tresourere, and Alverey Cornburghe, undertresourere, by oure strait commaundement at diverse tymes, sithen the furste daie of Marche, hitherto have purveyed and bought for us diverse stuffures, and paid

1486. to diverse persones certaine sommes of money, whose names with the sommes and causes particulerly appere, and are comprised in a cedule herin closed; of the whiche as yit ye have of us noone warrant sufficient for youre discharge. We wolle therfore and straitly charge you that ye, in the boke called the pele, entre playne issues for the causes comprised in the said cedule, after youre sage discrescions. And thies oure lettres shalbe to you and everiche of you warrant sufficient and discharge. Yeven undre oure prive sealle, at oure paloys of Westminster, the ixth daie of Juyll, the furste yere of oure reign. 1 Hen. VII.

Schedule annexed.

Parcelles and sommes of money paied and deliverd, by by the kinges high commaundement, by S^{r} Reinold Bray, knight, and Alverey Cornburgh, undretresourere of England, and other the kinges tellers in his receipt of the kinges tresoury remaignyng in their keping, as herafter ensueth.

Furste payed to S^{r} Reynold Bray, knight, for xii. yardes of blak velvet, at xvi. s. the yerde; ix. li. xii. s. For xii. yerdes of purpulle saten, at xx. s. the yerde; xii. li. Also for xvij. yerdes of crymsyn, at xxviij. s. the yarde; xxiiij. li. xii. s. Also for xii. yardes of blak satene, at xiii. s. iiij. d. the yarde; viij. li. And for v. yardes of blak satene, at x. s. the yarde; l. s. And also for xii. yardes, at x. s. the yarde; vi. li.,—as by a lettre undre the kinges signet, more playn dothe appiere—

lxi. li. xiiij. s.

Also paied to Hillybrond Vannonhawe, for xlix. tymbre ermyns, of hym bought for a gowne for the quene, at xviij. s. the tymbre - xliiij. li. ii. s.

Also paied to Gerrad Venmar, for xv. tymbre of ermyns, of hym bought for the said quenes gowne, at xviij. s. the tymbre - x. li.

1 Hen. VII. Also paied to Richard Story, skynner, aswelle for powdringes of ermyns for the same gowne as for furring of the same - xxxi. li. xiiij. s. 1486.

Also paied to Antony Baveryne, for M.cl. bowstaves, at c. s. the hundreth, so of him bowghte and delivered to Sr Richard Gildford, knight, maister of the kinges ordenaunce - lvij. li. x. s.

Also paied to William Nynge and other, for costes and expences of the bishop Aberdyne and other ambassatours of Scotland - ccxxxiiij. li. vij. s. vj. d.

Also paied to Thomas Guydet, in fulle paiement of cc. marces for a gown of clothe of gold, of hym boughte by the king - xl. li. xix. s. vi. d.

Also delivered to the quene, by the kinges commaundement, at two severalle tymes, by thandes of Elizabethe Denton - iiijxxx. li.

Also paied to Magdalene Stanes, of Bruges, of the kinges special reward to hire appoynted - xx. li.

Also paied to John Redyng, clerc of the quenes averie, upon expences of stable doone at diverse tymes— li. li.

Also paied to William Nele, gonnefounder and brasier, of London, upone making of diverse mesures and weightes, according to the olde standard of England, to be sent unto severalle shires and cities of England, according to the kinges commaundement and by thadvise of his counsaille, at divers tymes - l. li.

Also paied to Thomas Fuller, of Londone, mercer, for lynene cloth, of hym boughte to the quenes use— iiij. li. xij. d.

Also payed to John Exnyng, of London, grocer, for iij. yardes di of cloth of gold, of grene colour, of hym bought to the quenes use - xiij. li. x. s.

Also paied to Richard Smyth, yoman of the quenes warderobe, for diverse sylkes, of hym bought to quenes use - xj. li. v. s. vj. d.

1486. Also paied to Sir Richard Gildford, knight, aswelle for bowes and arrowes, boughte and yeven to thambassatours of Scotland in reward, as for other costes doon upon thaym at Eltham - vj. li. iiij. s. vij. d. 1 Hen. VII.

Also paied to the Lord Shaundy, erle of Bathe, in recompensacion of c. marces by the king to hym yeven by his lettres patentes, yerly to be receyved by thandes of the shirref of Somerset and Dorset—

lxvj. li. xiij. s. iiij. d.

Also paied to Thomas Fuller, of London, mercer, for certaine yerdes of velvet and satene, of diverse colours, for lynyng of a gowne of cloth of gold for the kinge, and for other causes - liij. li. iiij. s. viij. d.

Also paide to John Byngham, Robert Vincent, Thomas Hexstalle, and other owners and maistres of divers shippes in the poorte of Dover, hired at divers tymes to the kinges commaundement, from the xvijth daie of Septembre laste passed unto the feste of Estre than next folowing, with thair shippes and mariners for the passages and repassages of diverse the kinges commissioners and other, at sundry tymes, as in the pele of issue within the kinges receipt more at large is conteyned - cvij. li. xj. s. j. d.

Also paied to Maister John Yotton, the quenes secretarie, to paie certaine creditours of the quene - xx. li.

9 July. Grant to William Ratclyf of the office of keeper of the parks of Bilton and Hay, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold, during his life, with such wages and fees as John Brown lately had in the same office, issuing out of the lordship of Knaresburgh. L. R. 64^{b}.

10 July. Thys bille, endented the xth day of July, the furste yere of the reigne of Kynge Henry the vijth, wytnesseth, that Richard Gardyner and Willyam Pratte, and other citezins of the citee of London, by thandes of Thomas Stokes, have receyved of the abbot of Bardenney, collector of the seconde half of a dysme payable at the feste of Seynt

1 Hen. VII. John Baptiste laste passed, by thandes of [ ], the somme of, in parti of payment, lxvi. li. xiij. s. iiij. d., to theym, by a taylle levyed at the kynges recepte, the vijth day of Marche laste passed, upon the collectour of the seconde half of a dysme of the clergie unto Richarde, late, in dede and not of right, kynge of Englond, the ij^{de} yere of his reigne, in the parties of Kesten', in the archidecounrey of Lyncolne, graunted, the whiche taille is by oure said soverayne lord, unto the said Richard and Wyllyam Pratte and other citezenes for contentacion of so moche money late by thayme unto oure said soverayne lord lente, delyvered. In witnesse wherof, &c. 1486.

Grant to William Smyth, of Stratford, co. Suff., merchant, and John Bagard, of London, gentleman, of the custody of certain lands and tenements in Edwardon, and one pennyworth of rent a year, in the county of Suffolk, which John Margete, of Edwardon, held on the day of his death of the king in capite, by what service it is not known, and which are in the hands of the Crown owing to the said John's death; also of a close called Borellys-croft, in Causton, co. Norfolk, containing 20 acres of land, taken and seized into the hands of King Henry VI., and now in the king's hands, for 12 years, if the said premises shall so long continue in the king's hands, at a yearly rent of 12*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 4*d.*, the grantees bearing all charges connected with the said property. Orig. m. 27. 10 July.

Grant to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer of 20*s.* a day from the last day of February last, they having held their office since that date to the king's singular profit and pleasure, having been appointed thereto without other warrant than the king's command, by the advice of his council, and not having had any fees or rewards appointed to them for performing the duties thereof. S. B. No. 240. 10 July.

Grant to John King, for the term of his life, of the office of keeper of the chace of Aldebourne, parcel of the 10 July.

1486. duchy of Lancaster, in co. Wilts., with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 187[b] and 188[b]. 1 Hen. VII.

10 July. Grant, for life, to John Wrythe, otherwise called Garter, king of English arms, of an annuity of 40*l.* sterling, for the salary of his office, out of the petty custom in the port of the city of London, with a livery from the great wardrobe, such as the king of arms or principal herald in the time of Edw. III. had; also grant of salary from 22 Aug. last, since when he has held the said office. 9 July. P. S. No. 985. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6).

11 July. The subprior and monastery or priory of the conventual church of Mottesfount, in dioc. of Winchester, have licence to elect a fit and proper person to be their prior. L. R. 194.

11 July. Pardon and release to John Paston, esq., sheriff, co. Suffolk, alias sheriff of Suffolk, keeper of the gaol of the town of Ipswich, in the said county, alias late of Castere, co. Norfolk, alias late of London, &c., of all penalties, &c. incurred owing to the escape of John Hervy, late of Ocley Magna, co. Suff., yeoman, from prison whilst in the said John Paston's custody. 9 July. P. S. No. 986. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21).

11 July. General pardon and release to John Zouche de Zouche, knt., for all offences committed by him before the date hereof, and from all the penalties attaching thereto; restitution of goods and chattels and seisin granted him thereof; power to plead and be impleaded in all courts whatsoever; power to purchase and possess lands, &c. 10 July. P. S. No. 987. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21).

12 July. Grant, for life, to William Underwode, of the office of chief smith of the town of Calais and the marches of the same, and of surveyor of the trade thereof, with wages, &c. out of the issues, &c. of the said town, by the hands of the treasurer thereof. 3 July. P. S. No. 988.

12 July. By the king.

H. R.—Right reverend fadre in God, right trusti and welbiloved, we grete you wele. And where as we undre-

1 Hen. VII. stande that oone Thomas Radclif hathe in his warde two cuppes of gold, covered, and othre certain plate of great value, which rightfully owe to apperteigne unto us. We wol and charge you that, by warrant herof, ye doo make our letres undre our prive seal to the said Thomas, comaunding hym straitly by the same, eithre to delivre the said two cuppes and al the said plate, by bille indented, to our servaunt Thomas Bevercotes, oon of our sergeantes-at-armes, to our use, orels to comme unto us without delay to answer to such thinges as shalbe objected ayenst hym in that behalve. Yeven, &c. the xiith daye of July, the furst yere of our reigne. 1486.

To the right reverend fadre in God, our right trusti and welbiloved, the bisshope of Excestre, keper of our prive seal.

General pardon and release to William Clerk, of Wenlok, co. Salop, esq., alias of Brygynall, alias of Mersshe, alias of Briggenorth, &c., for all offences committed by him before the date hereof, and from all the penalties attaching thereto; also restitution of all goods and chattels belonging to him on 21 August last, or forfeited to the Crown by an act of the Parliament held at Westminster, 7 Nov. last, and grant to him of seisin of the same. 7 July. P. S. No. 989. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2). 12 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to Roger Coton, knt., of an annuity of 40*l.* out of the money which the abbot of the monastery of Ramsey pays yearly for the fee-farm of the town of St. Ives, and for the residue of the fair or markets of the same town; to be paid by the said abbot. 6 July. P. S. No. 990. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21). 12 July.

Memorandum quod Johannes Kyrton, duodecimo die Julii, anno regni regis Henrici Septimi primo, recepit de Thoma Stokys, ad usum et proficuum Petri episcopi Exoniæ, viginti libras in partem solutionis majoris summæ. In cujus rei testimonium prædictus Johannes 12 July.

1486. Kyrton præsentibus sigillum suum apposuit. Datum die et anno supradictis. 1 Hen. VII.

(Indorsed.)

Pro episcopo Exoniæ. Miscel.

12 July.[1] Grant to Margery Nicholas of an annuity of 10*l.* sterling, out of the issues &c. of the lordship of Bussh-ley, co. Glouc., during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown. 11 July. P. S. No. 991. Pat. p. 3. m. 7 (21).

12 July. Congé d'elire to the prior and convent of the monastery of Rading, upon the death of John Thorne, abbot thereof. 10 July. P. S. No. 992. Pat. p. 4. m. 13 (12).

13 July. Grant, for life, to Gilbert Mawdesley, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms (upon surrender of a patent, 21 Sept., 1 Hen. VII. (p. 1. m. 16), of the offices of keeper of the new park, called the Mote Park, in the forest of Wyndesore, and keeper of Crambourne, alias one of the foresters in the said forest, within the bailiwick of Bateillesbailly, in the said forest, or keeper of the said bailiwick, with the custody as well of the new tower or lodge, called the "toure in the hethe," as of the enclosure or grove of Swynley, within the said bailiwick, with wages out of the issues of Wyndesore Castle, and with all emoluments such as John Dethe formerly had temp. Ric. II.; also pannage, dead trees, &c. within the said bailiwick, with the herbage of a close, called Loge Close, in the said bailiwick, and a portion of the wages out of the issues &c. of the counties of Oxon. and Berks., together with sufficient pasture and herbage for six horses and six cows, and all the wood coming from "browsing" in the said park, and a certain dwelling house for the said Gilbert, as William Stafferton heretofore had; without

[1] There is a Privy Seal for this grant, dated 18 Nov., and delivered 9 Oct., which does not seem to have proceeded further.

1 Hen. VII. accompt; with wages, &c. from 21 Sept. last. 10 July. 1486.
P. S. No. 993. Pat. p. 4. m. 8 (17).

Writ of liberate to the sheriff of Oxford and Berks. for the payment of the wages made payable out of those counties. 14 July.

Grant to John, bishop of Ely, the chancellor, of the custody of all the temporalities of the archbishopric of Canterbury, void by the death of Th., cardinal, the late archbishop, with the disposal of all ecclesiastical benefices, &c.; to hold during the voidance thereof. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14). 13 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Husey, knt., chief justice of the King's Bench, of the manor of Fryeston, co. Linc. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3). 13 July.

Grant, for life, to Henry Carre, of all the lands and tenements called Burton in Bisshopdale, co. York., "whiche landes and tenementes oure grete ennemye "the late duc of Gloucestre purchased by wey of es- "chaunge, and nowe be commen unto oure handes by "reason of his forfaitour;" without accompt. 13 July. P. S. No. 994. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2). 14 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Dynham, knt., lord of Dynham, of the office of treasurer of the Exchequer, with all emoluments such as John Audeley, knt., lord of Audeley, heretofore enjoyed in the same office. 12 July. P. S. No. 995. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14). 14 July.

Grant to the king's beloved and faithful councillor Richard Guldeford, knt., of the custody of all the possessions late belonging to Robert Mortymer, deceased, who held of the king in capite, by knight's service, during the minority of Elizabeth, his daughter and heir, as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown; grant also of the wardship and marriage of the said heir, an of all issues, &c. arising out of the said possessions. Usual clause for continuance of the custody, &c. until an heir shall have attained majority, &c. S. B. No. 241. 14 July.

1486. 14 July. Grant, during pleasure, to the prior and convent of the order of Friars Preachers, in the city of London, of 20*l.* a year, at the receipt of the Exchequer, in pursuance of what the king understands to have been the practice of his progenitors. 11 July. P. S. No. 996. Del. 13 July. Pat. p. 4. m. 13 (12). 1 Hen. VII.

14 July. Licence to Humphrey Salwey, esq., to alienate to John, bishop of Worcester, John Devereux, knt., Robert Morgan, Edward Hubande, Thomas Salwey, Edmund Salwey, Richard Bery, chaplain, Richard Cannok, chaplain, and John Wynford, a messuage and one yard of land in Cank, alias Cannok, co. Stafford, a moiety of an acre of land in the same messuage excepted. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14).

14 July. General pardon and release to John Vaghan, late of Sandewich, co. Kent, yeoman, alias late of Wynchelsee, co. Surrey, yeoman, Robert Freman, late of Sandwiche, alias late of Queneborough, co, Kent, yeoman, John Davy, late of Sandwiche, alias late of Dover, co. Kent, John Trulofe, late of Calais, Thomas Tyll, late of Calais, alias late of Sandewiche, Richard Browne, late of Sandewiche, alias late of Holy Eland, co. Northumb., William Layne, late of Sandewiche, co. Kent., and Thomas Yongere, late of Sandewiche, co. Kent, yeomen, of and from all offences committed by them before the date hereof, and the penalties attaching thereto. 11 July. P. S. No. 997.

15 July. By the king.

Right reverend fadre in God, right trusty and welbeloved, we grete you wele. And late you wite that we, for the weale and proffite of oure subgiettes thinhabitantes within oure pale and marches of Calays, to thencreasing of their plowes and cartes, have licenced oure welbeloved Thomas Bettes, of oure towne there, to shippe and carye into the saide parties lx. mares, whiche he hathe pourveyed for oure saide tenantes ayenst this season to cary in theire harvest. We therefore wol and charge

1 Hen. VII. you that, undre oure privee seale being in youre warde, ye doo make herupon oure lettres of pasport in due and sufficient fourme to be directed, as in suche caas is accustumed. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre warrant in that partie. Yeven undre oure signet, at oure palays of Westminstre, the xv. day of Juylle, the furst yere of oure reigne. 1486.

(Indorsed.)

To the right reverend fadre in God, oure right trusty and welbeloved, the bisshope of Excestre, keper of oure privee seale. S. B. No. 242.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos, certis de causis et considerationibus nos et concilium nostrum moventibus, de gratia nostra speciali, dedimus et concessimus, ac per præsentes damus et concedimus, dilectis nobis Johanni Sanches Darys, Johanni Darys filio suo, et Johanni Dolybary vicinis villæ de Bilbao in comitatu Biscaye, quod ipsi, factores et attornati sui, indigneæ vel alienigenæ, ac, ipsis defunctis, executores sui, habeant et percipiant summam sex millium coronarum auri, extendentium ad summam seu valorem mille et ducentarum librarum bonæ et legalis monetæ regni nostri Angliæ, de custumis et subsidiis provenientibus de et pro quibuscumque pannis, tam in grano quam sine grano, stannis, plumbo, gualdo, aluminibus, vinis, ferro, oleo et aliis mercandisis quibuscumque, tam de bonis suis propriis quam de quibuscumque aliis bonis et mercandisis, de primis aliquo tempore post datum præsentium, tam per præfatos Johannem Sanches, Johannem Darys et Johannem Dolybary, seu eorum aliquem, factores et attornatos suos prædictos, quam per aliquos alios mercatores sive subditos serenissimi principis regis Castellæ et Legionis, in regnum nostrum Angliæ in portum nsotrum civitatis nostræ Londoniæ, in quibuscumque navibus vel vasis, aut in quacumque navi vel vase adducendis, seu ab eodem 15 July.

1486. regno nostro extra portum prædictum educendis, de tem- 1 Hen. VII.
pore in tempus, nobis qualitercumque pertinentibus seu spectantibus; quousque præfatis Johanni Sanches, Johanni et Johanni, factoribus et attornatis suis prædictis, aut, ipsis defunctis, executoribus suis, de dicta summa mille et ducentarum librarum debite satisfactum fuerit et plenarie contentatum, per manus custumariorum sive collectorum custumarum et subsidiorum nostrorum in portu prædicto, pro tempore existentium, in manibus suis propriis retinenda, per indenturas inde inter præfatos Johannem Sanches, Johannem et Johannem, aut factores seu attornatos suos prædictos, seu eorum aliquem, aut, ipsis defunctis, executores suos, et custumarios sive collectores custumarum et subsidiorum nostrorum prædictorum in portu prædicto, pro tempore existentes, adductionem et eductionem illas de tempore in tempus debite conficiendas testificantes; per quarum quidem indenturarum alteram partem, has litteras nostras, ac brevia nostra superinde custumariis sive collectoribus nostris in portu prædicto pro tempore existentibus, dirigenda, volumus, et per præsentes concedimus, quod tam iidem custumarii sive collectores, et eorum quilibet, quam præfati mercatores, ac factores et attornati sui prædicti, et, ipsis defunctis, executores sui, et eorum quilibet, de omnimodis pecuniarum summis custumarum et subsidiorum nostrorum prædictorum in forma prædicta habendis et percipiendis, erga nos et hæredes nostros omnino exonerentur et acquietentur, et eorum quilibet exoneretur et acquietetur imperpetuum. Aliquo statuto actu ordinatione sive restrictione inde in contrarium facto non obstante. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium, xv. die Julii.

Per breve de privato sigillo et de data, etc. Fr. m. (13) 3.

15 July. Grant to Richard Hewort (in consideration of the gratuitous service which he, as late servant to our most dear

1 Hen. VII. uncle, of revered memory, Henry VI., late king of England, did for him and has done for us), of an annuity of five marks sterling, for life, at the receipt of the Exchequer. 1 July. P. S. No. 998. 1486.

Commission to John Hudde to be purveyor of capons, lamb, eggs, milk, pheasants, &c. to the royal household. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2). 15 July.

General pardon to James Tyrell, knt., alias of Gypping, co. Suff., knt. 16 July.

Also to the following persons:—

John Bonyngton, late of Berwardecote, co. Derb., esq., alias John Bownyngton, late constable of the castle of Guysnes, and John Bunnyngton, gent.

Nowell Harper, late of Boyleston, co. Derb., gent., alias Nowell Harpour, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

Nicholas Clyveley, late of the town of Westminster, co. Midd., yeoman, alias Nicholas Cleveley, late of Dachet, co. Bucks., yeoman, alias Nicholas Clyveley, late of Stansted Monfichet, co. Essex, yeoman, alias Nicholas Clyveley, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

Richard Flud, late of Assheton, co. Essex, yeoman, alias Richard Llud, alias Richard Thlude, late of Guysnes, souldioure.

Thomas Bakster, late of Newton, within the parish of Wynwik, co. Lanc., yeoman, alias Thomas Baxster, late of Guysnes.

Oliver Claryngton, late of le Welde, co. Hertford, yeoman, alias Oliver Caryngton, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

Robert Melton, late of Clyvegrene, co. Chester, yeoman, alias Robert Mylton, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

John Holand, late of Dynbigh, in North Wales, yeoman, alias John Holland, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

Henry Massy, late of Wellyngton, co. Salop., mercer, alias Henry Macy, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

John Burnet, late of Kardif, in South Wales, yeoman, alias John Burnet, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

1486. John Lichfeld, late of Wellys, co. Somerset, court- 1 Hen. VII.
holder, alias John Lichefeld, late of Kairdif, in South Wales, screvener.

William Coke, late of Trusseley, co. Derb., yeoman, alias William Cook, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

Robert Tyrry, late of Barton, co. Derb., yeoman, alias Robert Tyrry, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

Thomas Sowce, late of Duffeld, co. Derby, yeoman, alias Thomas Duffeld, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

John Hubard, late of the town of Calais, gent., alias John Hubbard, merchant, of the staple of Calais, alias Hobard, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

George Spryte, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

James Fyppound, late of Burton upon Trent, co. Staff., hosier, alias James Fysfound, of Guysnes, soldiour.

Thomas Gylder, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

Thomas Williamssone, late of Cholley, in the county of Chester, yeoman, alias Thomas Salford, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

David Willesson, late of Richmond, smythe, alias David Wilson, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

William Bondman, late of the town of Calais, merchant, alias William Boneman, late merchant of the staple of the town of Calais, alias William Bondeman, late of Westerkele, co. Linc., merchant, alias William Budman, late of Guysnes.

Richard Bulle, late of the parish of Ware, co. Hertford, yeoman, alias Richard Bull, late of [Benion], co. Hertford, yeoman, alias Richard Bul, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

John Smyth, late of Sengkeveran, co. Cornwall, yeoman, alias John Smyth, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

William Hoggisson, late of Asshill, co. Norfolk, yeoman, alias William Hoggeson, late of Guysnes, souldiour.

John Selby, late of Colwyk, co. Notts., yeoman, alias John Selby, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

1 Hen. VII. William Rose, late of Guysnes, chaplain, alias William Roos, late vicar choral of the cathedral church of St. Chad of Lichfield, co. Staff. 1486.

John Thirlewal, the elder, late of Thirlewall, co. York, gentleman, alias John Thirlewall, late of Yalding, co. Kent, gent., alias John Thirlewall, late of Guysnes, soldiour.

Richard Williamys, late of Guysnes, souldiour, alias Richard Williams, late of Salop, yeoman. 12 July. P. S. No. 999.

Grant to David Philip, esquire for the king's body, of the office of steward of the lordships or manors of Hanslape, Castelthrope, and Cosgrave, cos. Northampton and Bucks., during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick. 3 July. P. S. No. 1000. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6). 16 July.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Apulby, of the hermitage and chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, within the parish of Gaynforth, in the bishopric of Durham. 15 July. P. S. No. 1001. Pat. p. 4. m. 23 (2). 17 July.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the treasourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Forasmoch as oure trusty and welbeloved clerc Maister William Smythe hathe layde owte and payed for the Lady Clifford certayne sommes of money, in dyverse parcelles, for thinges necessarye unto hir ayeinst hir maryage, as it appiereth in billes made upone the same, which ammounteth unto the some of xxvij. li. xviij. s. viij. d. Wherefor we wol and charge you that, at the receipt of oure saide Eschequier, ye content and paye unto the said Maister William Smyth the saide some of xxvij. li. xviij. s. viij. d., withoute any prest or othre charge to be set upon hym for the same. And thies oure lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant in that behalve. Yeven undre oure pryve seal, at oure paloys of Westminster, the xvijth daye of Juylle, the furst yere of oure reigne. S. B. No. 243. 17 July.

1486. 17 July. Grant, in tail male, to Gilbert Talbot, knight for the king's body, of the manor and advowson of the church of Grafton, the manor and advowson of the church of Upton Waryn, and certain lands, tenements, parks, rents, and services in the fields and towns of Hainbury, Bromysgrove, Kingisnorton, Kedezinyster (Kedermyster), Keimeswyk, and Esbury, co. Worc., in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Humfrey Stafford, esq., and by virtue of an act of forfeiture against him made in the Parliament held at Westminster, 7 Nov. last; to hold by the same rents, services, &c. which were formerly paid and performed for the same. 14 July. P. S. No. 1002. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3). 1 Hen. VII.

18 July. Grant, for life, to Thomas Arundell, knt., Lord Mautravers (for his praiseworthy services to the king, at his great costs and charges), of the manor of Wardelham, with appurtenances, co. Hants., with the knights' fees, advowsons of churches, courts leets, markets, fairs, liberties, franchises, warrens, &c. belonging to the same; also grant, for life, of the offices of lieutenant or warden of the king's forests of Alisholt and Wolmere, and keeper of the king's park of Wardelham. 2 March. P. S. No. 1003. Pat. p. 4. m. 9 (16).

18 July. Grant, for life, to Raynold (Reginald) Bray, knight for the king's body, of the offices of steward of the lordships of Astonclynton and Ovarton, co. Bucks., and the lordship of Stanford, co. Berks, of surveyor, steward, and receiver of the lordships of Eyton, Houghton, and Totternhoo, co. Bedford, and the lordships of Mentmore and Ledburne, co. Bucks., with wages, &c., such as Sir Ralph Hastinges, knt., enjoyed in the same offices. 12 July. P. S. No. 1004. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6).

18 July. Grant to Stephen Hatfeld of the offices of parker of the park of Northparke, within the lordship of Brustwyke, in Holdernesse, and escheator and feodary of the liberty of the manor and lordship aforesaid, in Holder-

1 Hen. VII. nesse, co. York, during the minority of Edward, now duke of Buckingham, son and heir of Henry, late duke, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, in consideration that these offices were granted to the same Stephen Hatfeld, for life, by Henry, late duke of Buckingham, by letters patent dated 24 Nov., 13 Edw. IV. 15 July. P. S. No. 1005. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 (3). 1486.

Grant, during pleasure, to Master Martin Joyce, esq., of the office of receiver and proctor general and special of the castle and lordship of Guysnes, in the parts of Picardy, with wages, &c., such as Gilbert Huse heretofore enjoyed in the same office, from 6 April last, since when he has performed the duties thereof. 15 July. P. S. No. 1006. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6). 18 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Vaughan, of the office of custumer and collector of the monies arising from weighing wools and woolfels in the town of Calais, with all issues, &c., such as John Stoughton, Geoffrey Garnet, or Thomas Wade, succeeding one another in the same office, heretofore enjoyed; grant also of wages from 6 April last, since when he has performed the duties of his office. 1 July. P. S. No. 1007. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 (5). 18 July.

Grant to Laurence Savage, son of Sir John Savage senior, of an annuity of 20 marks, during the king's pleasure, out of the issues and profits of the High Peak, in co. Derby. L. R. 108. 19 July.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chamberlains of our Eschequier, greting. For as moche as we stand endetted to oure welbiloved Thomas Guydetty, merchaunt, of Florence, for a pece of fyne cloth of gold, conteignyng twenty yerdes, price the yerde tenn marces, amounting in alle to the somme of two hundred marces, which cloth was delivered unto us by the said Thomas, and spended to our use and behouf in oure chambre, as 19 July.

1486. we certainely knowe, and of the whiche cc. marces he hath received of us, by your handes, xl. li. xix. s. vj. d., and for the contentacione of the residue, by our commaundement, hath reteigned in his owne handes of custumes and subsidies, to us due in the poorte of London, of his goodes and merchandises xliiij. li., and in like wise, by our commaundement, of the custumes and subsidies for his alom, of late discharged in our poorte of Sandwich, to the somme of xlviij. li. vij. s. ij. d., in fulle paiement of the forsaide cc. marces; and for the whiche neither ye oure saide tresourer and chamberlains, ne oure saide collectours in our poourtes aforesaid, ne noone of you, have had of us any warrant sufficient for youre discharges other than our forsaide commaundement. Wolle therefore and charge you that ye, in the bokes called the peelle, make due entre of issue according to the premisses, and that as welle unto the collectours of the custumes and subsidies of our poorte of London as to the collectours of our poorte of Sandewiche ye in due fourme delivere severalle tailles in nature of paiements, to be levied upone thaymself, for theire indempnite. And thies oure lettres shalbe to you warrant sufficient and discharge. Yeven undre our pryve seal, atte our paloys of Westminster, the xixth daie of Juylle, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 1008. 1 Hen. VII.

19 July. Appointment of John, bishop of Lincoln, Thomas Boteler, earl of Ormont, chamberlain of the king's most dear bedfellow the queen, Masters Henry Aynesworth, doctor of laws, canon of Lincoln, secondary in the office of the Privy Seal, and John Baylly, king's chaplain and canon in the Chapel Royal of Windesore, as ambassadors on behalf of King Hen. VII., to treat with John le Boutiller, lord of Maupertuys, knt., Masters John Troussier, precentor of the cathedral of St. Malo ("Ma- "cloviensis"), Rolland de la Villeon, seneschal of Hennebond, councillors, and Master Francis Dupon, secretary, appointed by Francis, duke of Brittany (by letters patent

1 Hen. VII. dated at Nantes on the 5th of June in the present year), as ambassadors to arrange on his behalf a prolongation of the treaties existing between the two countries, both as to abstinence from war and commercial intercourse. The fullest powers given. S. B. No. 244. 1486.

Grant, in tail male, to William Willoughby, of the manors or lordships of Charleton Adam and Charleton Macrell, Shipton Montagu, Sutton, Brotton, and Lynde, co. Somerset, and the manor of Clifton, co. Glouc., in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of John, late Lord Zouche, and by virtue of an act of forfeiture made against him in the Parliament held at Westminster, 7 Nov. last. 12 July. P. S. No. 1009. Pat. p. 4. m. 4 (21). 19 July.

Grant, in survivorship, to John Getyns, of the town of Shrewsbury, draper, and Richard, his son (upon surrender of letters patent made to John Getyns, under the common seal of the monastery of St. Peter, in Shrovesbury, to be cancelled), of the corrody in the said monastery: in the gift of the Crown. S. B. No. 245. 19 July.

By the king. 20 July.

Right reverend fadere in God, right trusty and welbeloved, we grete you wele, and wol and charge you that, undre oure prive seal being in youre warde, ye doo make oure lettres in fourme folowing:—Henry, by the grace of God, &c. To oure trusty and welbeloved William Husse, knight, and othre his felawes, oure justices of oyer and termyner, tenquere within oure shires of Warrewik and Worcestre, by virtue of oure commission to you directed, of almaner of treasons, felons, murdres, rebellions, insurreccions, mesprisions, and othre diverse articles and offenses in oure said commission specified, greting. Where as Alexandre Preest, late of Bourton upone Donnesmore, in oure countie of Warrewik, husbondman, and William Gee, late of Lymyngton Hastynges, in oure countie aforsaid, husbondman, late before you, oure said

1486. justices, at oure sessions at Byrmyngham holden by force of oure said commission, be endited of diverse trespasses, contemptes, and mesprisions, the whiche enditements resten before you of recorde, wherupone processe is awarded ayenst the said Alexaundre Preest and William Gee, for oure interest in that behalve, to their utter empoverisshing, withoute oure grace especial be shewed unto theim in this behalve. We, for diverse consideracions us moeving, of oure mere mocion, wol and charge you that ye from hensforth surcesse of making oute of any processe ayenst the said Alexander Preest and William Gee, or eithre of theim, for the premisses; and if any processe be made or awarded ayenst theim or aithre of theim, that then ye commaunde oure welbeloved Henry Herman, clerc of oure Crowne, to make oute our writte or writtes of supersedeas to suche shirief or shirieffes as the processe is awarded or made unto, as ye entende to doo unto us right singlier pleasure. And thies oure lettres shalbe unto you and every of you, and to oure said clerc of oure Crowne, sufficient warraunt and discharge in that behalve. Yeven undre oure prive seal, &c. And thise oure lettres shalbe youre warraunt in that behalve. Yeven undre oure signet, at oure palois of Westminstre, the xx^ti^ day of Juylle, the furst yere of oure reigne. 1 Hen. VII.

(Indorsed.)

To the right reverend fader in God, oure right trusty and welbeloved, the bisshope of Excestre, keper of oure prive seal.

20 July. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where as we undrestand that one Thomas Gate, gentilman, was bounde by recognissaunce in our Chauncery, the secunde day of Juylle, the third yere of the usurped reigne of the late, in dede and not of right, King Richard the Third, in the

1 Hen. VII. summe of c. marces, to thentent that the said Thomas Gate shuld not let ne trouble, ne any othre persone or persones at his commaundement, request, or prayer from that tyme furth shuld let or trouble, thexecucion of a jugement in oure said Chauncerie late yeven of certain landes and tenementes in the townes and parisshes of Burnham, Hucham, Toplowe, and Dorney, in oure countie of Bukingham, for one Thomas Staunton, decessed, ayeinst the said Thomas Gate, and els the said summe of c. marces to be leveied of the landes and goodes of the said Thomas Gate within oure saide countie of Bukingham or elswhere, wherof l. marces to be leveied unto the use of the said late king, and l. marces, residue therof, to be leveied unto the use of Isabell, late the wife of the said Thomas Staunton, as in oure recordes remaignyng before oure chauncellere in oure said Chauncery more plainly dothe appere. Contrarie to whiche recognissaunce and to the forfaicture of the said summe of c. marces, one William Wodward, of Bekensfeld, in oure said countie, at the request, commaundement, and prayere of the said Thomas Gate, riottously and contrarie to oure lawes, nowe of late entred into the said landes and tenementes and put out the said Isabell of the same, as we, by the othe of the said William before the lordes of oure counsaill in that behalve sworne and examined, certainly knowe. We, for divers consideracions us specially moeving, wol and charge you that ye doo smyte out taille or tailles conteignyng the forsaid summe of l. marces for oure parte of the said c. marces by the said Thomas Gate, by recognissaunce so forfaicted unto us, to be arered or leveyed at the receipt of oure said Eschequier upone the said Thomas Gate, as forfaicture of the same, or upon the sherif of oure said countie of Bukingham, to be leveied of the landes and goodes of the said Thomas Gate within the same, for oure fulle trusty counsailloure and knight Sir Richard Guldeford, to whome we have appointed the same, by 1486.

1486. him to be employed and spent upone the raparaciouns of oure manere of Kenyngtone, without prest or othre charge to be set upone him for the same; any manner, act, ordinaunce, provisioun, restreint, ordre, or cours of youre said receipt, you to the contrarie herof moeving, in any wise notwithstanding. And thies oure lettres shalbe to you warrant sufficient and discharge in that behalve. Yeven undre oure prive seel, at oure palaice of Westminstre, the xxth day of Juylle, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 1010. 1 Hen. VII.

20 July. Grant, for life, to Richard Bedenne, of the office of searcher and surveyor of all hides tanned and to be tanned, &c., with a half of all the forfeitures that shall arise from hides insufficiently tanned, &c. 6 July. P. S. No. 1011. Pat. p. 4. m. 9 (16).

20 July. Grant to Thomas Barry, priest, a native of Scotland, of denization, and that he may accept, receive, and possess any ecclesiastical benefice under the dignity of a deanery within the kingdom of England, and be admitted into the same in the same way as any faithful liege of the realm. 14 July. P. S. No. 1012. Pat. p. 4. m. 5 (20).

20 July. De proclamationibus.

Rex vicecomiti Northumbriæ, salutem. Præcipimus tibi firmiter injungentes quod statim post receptionem præsentium in singulis locis infra ballivam tuam, tam infra libertates quam extra, ubi magis expediens videris ex parte nostra publicas proclamationes fieri facias in hæc verba. Where Thomas Broughton, knyght, John Hodylston, knyght, William a Thorneburghe, William Ambrose, and other of ther coadherentes, for their grete rebellyons and grevos offensez lately by theyme doone and commytted ayenst the most royalle persone of oure soveraigne lord Henry the VIIth, by the grace of God, kyng of Englond and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland, kepe theyme in hedylle and secret places, and over that have dysobeyed dyvers and many his lettres and pryve

1 Hen. VII. seales, to his gret displeasure and disobeisaunz, and to the gret trouble and vexacioun of his true liegemen and subjectes; oure soveraigne lord, willyng the good rule, tranquyllite, and restfulnesse of this his realme and of his subjectes of the same, straitly chargythe and commaundythe the seid Thomas, John, William, and William, and their said coadherentez, that they and everyche of them, except Geffrey Frank, Edward Frank, John Ward, Thomas Oter, and Richard Middylton, otherwyse called Dyk Middylton, personelly appere before his highenesse, whersoever he be, withyn xl. dayes next after this proclamacioun. And yf the seid Thomas Broughton, John Hodylston, Willyam, and Willyam, and theyre seid coadherentes, or any of theyme, except before except, absent them self, and of their obstinacye wille not appere and come to oure seid soveraigne lord as his true and obeyssaunt subjectes, that they and every of theyme so absentyng theymeself be had, taken, and reputed as his grete rebellez, ennemyes, and traitours, and so forfeyt their lyvys, landez, and goodes, at the pleasure of the same oure soveraigne lord. Et hoc sub periculo incumbenti nullatenus omittas. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium, xx. die Julii. 1486.

Similar letters are addressed to the sheriffs of York and Cumberland. S. B. No. 246. Pat. p. 4. m. 22 d (3 d).

Grant, for life, to John Colet, clk. (in consideration of his good and virtuous disposition), of the free chapel of St. Margaret the Virgin, in Hilberwurth, Norwich dioc., void, and in the gift of the Crown. 18 July. P. S. No. 1013. 20 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Englisshe, of the office of collector of rents within the town of Calais, with the wages thereto pertaining from 6 April last, since when he has performed the duties of his office. 19 July. P. S. No. 1014. 20 July.

Grant to Elizabeth Wyndesore, widow, Andrew Wyndesore, and Francis Catysby, of the custody of the manor 20 July.

1486. of Kenyngton, alias Cold Kenyngton, co. Midd., with everything pertaining thereto, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 20*l.*, and an improved yearly rent of 20*d.*, keeping up repairs. &c. Orig. m. 28. 1 Hen. VII.

21 July. Grant to Henry Trafford of an annuity of 10*l.* sterling, for the term of his life, out of the revenues of the county palatine of Lancaster. L. R. 49.

21 July. Grant to John Wallsshe of the offices of surveyor and receiver-general of all the possessions pertaining to Rychemond fee in the counties of Wilts., Cambridge, Norfolk, Suffolk, and Herts., during pleasure; and of surveyor and receiver-general of all the possessions late belonging to Richard, late earl of Warwick, called Warrewikkes landes, Salisburyes landes, and Spensers landes, in the counties of Salop, Cambridge, Norfolk, Suffolk, Hertford, Huntingdon, and Leicester, during the minority of Edward, son and heir of Isabella, late wife of George, late duke of Clarence, one of the daughters and heirs of the said Richard, earl of Warwick, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown; with wages of 10 marks a year, and all emoluments pertaining to the said offices. 20 July. P. S. No. 1015. Pat. p. 4. m. 8 (17).

22 July. Grant, during pleasure, to Richard Combes, of the office of chief plasterer of the works and repairs of plastering of the town of Calais and marches of the same, with all wages, fees, emoluments, dwellings, &c., such as Thomas Feriour had in the same office, from 6 April last, from which time he has performed the duties thereof. 19 July. P. S. No. 1016.

22 July. Licence to Robert Broke, John Jenyns, John Parowe, William Bonde, and John Milton, citizens and bakers, of London, to found, in honor of God, the most glorious Virgin Mary, his mother, and St. Clement, a fraternity or perpetual guild of one master, four wardens, and the community of the mystery of bakers of the city of London and suburbs of the same, dwelling and to dwell

1 Hen. VII. therein, and of brethren and sisters, free persons of the said mystery, and other persons who from their devotion shall wish to belong to the said fraternity or guild. Incorporation granted to them by the name of the master, wardens, and community of freemen of the mystery of bakers of the city of London and suburbs of the same; licence in mortmain to acquire lands, &c. to the yearly value of five marks, so that the same be not held in capite; perpetual succession; a common seal; power to plead and be impleaded in all courts whatsoever; authority, immediately after the feast of St. Clement, to elect a master and four wardens to regulate, &c. the affairs of the guild until a further election shall take place. 19 July. P. S. No. 1017. Pat. p. 4. m. 14 (11), 6 (19). 1486.

Grant to John Peke, esq., and William Beynam, gent., and to either of them, of the stewardship of the lordship of Wykewan, and the manor of Aure, Etlowe, Tokenhale, Pyrton, and the hundred of Blydeslowe, and all other lands and tenements belonging to the Crown, co. Glouc., during the minority of Richard Nevile Lord Latymere, cousin and heir of George, late Lord Latymere, and as long as the same shall be in the hands of the Crown, with wages, &c. such as Thomas Lymeryk heretofore had in the same office. 18 July. P. S. No. 1018. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19). 22 July.

Grant, for life, to John Sturgeon, of an annuity or annual rent of 20*l.* issuing out of the revenues of the lordships and manors of Sutton and Potton, in co. Bedford. L. R. 167. 22 July.

Articles agreed upon (after various meetings to consult and deliberate thereupon) between commissioners appointed on behalf of Francis, duke of Brittany, and Henry VII., king of England, to arrange a treaty of peace, intercourse, and commerce between the two countries, 22 July.

[1] These articles were ratified and confirmed by Francis, duke of Brittany, on the 7th Sept. 1486. See Rymer, vol. xii. p. 315.

1486. to last during the lives of the said king and duke, and 1 Hen. VII.
for one year after the decease of the one of them who shall die first. The names of the commissioners for Brittany are Jehan le Bouteillier, seigneur de Maupartuys, chamberlain, Jehan Troussier, chantre de Saint Malo, Rolland de la Villeon, seneschal de Hennebont, and Francoys du Pon, secretaire. The names of those for England are John, bishop of Lincoln, Thomas Boteler, earl of Ormond, chamberlain of England, Masters Henry Aynesworth, LL.D., secondary in the office of the Privy Seal, and John Bailli, chaplain to the king and canon of the royal chapel at Wyndesore.

Letters patent appointing the above-mentioned commissioners for Brittany, dated at Nantes, 5 June 1486.

Letters patent appointing the above-mentioned commissioners for England, dated at London, 22 July 1486.

This copy of the articles is signed by L. de Bouteillier, J. Troussier, R. de la Villeon, F. du Pou. Ex Autogr.

23 July. Grant, for the term of her life, to Margaret Multon, anchorite within the chapel of St. Ellen, in the town of Pontifract, of the annual rent of 40*s*., which King Edward IV. gave and confirmed to Alice Ripace, anchorite within the aforesaid chapel. L. R. 79.

23 July. General pardon and release to James Boston, Bostone, Beston, or Baston, alias James Rykels or Rekles, of the town of Westminster, co. Midd., yeoman, alias, &c., of all manner of offences committed by him, and from the penalties attaching thereto. Clipping money is one of the crimes forcibly alluded to. Pat. p. 4. m. 8 (17).

23 July. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irlande. To the treasourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where as oure welbeloved servantes Alexander Mason, marchalle of oure mynstralles, Robert Grene, John Hawkyns, Thomas Mayho, William Grene, Thomas a Spence, Henry Swan, and William Davy, oure mynstralles, have by oure com-

1 Hen. VII. maundement wayted and attended upone us, that is to say, fro the xxij. daie of Auguste laste paste, hiderto withoute any fee or reward by us to thaym geven, to thaire great and unportable costes and charges, withoute oure grace especiall be shewed unto thaym in that behalve. We therfore, and for diverse other causes us specially meoving, of oure grace especiall, wolle and straitly charge you that ye, of oure tresoure beyng in youre keping, paye unto oure said servauntes, in redy money, the somme of iiij^{xx}. markes, without delay, to be taken of us by weye of reward, for satisfaccioun and contentacion of thaire said fees and wages; any commaundement to you made to the contrarie notwithstanding. And thies oure lettres shalbe unto you and everi of you suffisaunt warrant and discharge anempst us in that behalve. Yeven under oure prive sealle, at oure paloys of Westminstre, the xxiij. daie of Juylle, the furste yere of oure reigne. S. B. No. 247. 1486.

Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Tifford, of the offices of receiver of the lordships of Marke and Oye, with the seven parishes adjoining thereto; of searcher between the town of Calais and the water of Gravenyng, as well within the "sonnagium in marisco" as without, up to it and around it; and of high bailiff of the said lordships and the said seven parishes, with wages of 12*d.* a day, and all emoluments, such as William Slyfelde or Roger Cokkes, heretofore holders of the said offices, enjoyed therewith, from 6 April last, since when he has performed the duties belonging thereto. 18 July. P. S. No. 1019. 23 July.

Royal assent to the election made by the subprior and convent of the monastery of the Blessed Mary and Saints John and James, of Radinge, Sarum dioc., of John Thorne, prior, to be their abbot, *vice* John Thorne, deceased. 23 July. P. S. No. 1020. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14). 24 July.

1486. The subprior and convent above mentioned to the king, acquainting him with their election, and asking for his assent thereto. 22 July. 1 Hen. VII.

24 July. Grant, for life, to Sir Reginald Bray, knight of the king's body, of the stewardship of the lordships and manors of Sutton and Potton, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Bedford, receiving annually for the said office four marks, and all fees and emoluments thereunto belonging. L. R. 164.

24 July. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Middlesex to deliver up possession to Elizabeth Wyndesore of the manor of Stanewell, in the hands of the Crown through the death of Thomas Wyndesore, her late husband.

Similar mandate to the escheator in the county of Berks., with regard to the manor of Westhagburne. Orig. m. 37.

24 July. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Bucks. to deliver up possession to Elizabeth Wyndesore of certain knights' fees, &c. pertaining to the manor of Stanwell, co. Midd., in the hands of the Crown owing to the death of her late husband, Thomas Wyndesore; viz., a knight's fee, a rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from the manor of Hardemede, co. Bucks., held of the said manor; a moiety of a knight's fee, a rent of 3*s.* 8½*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from certain lands and tenements called Burnhamland, in Burnham, co. Bucks., held in the same manner; a yearly rent of 41*s.* from three parts of the manor of Horton, co. Bucks., held in the same manner; a yearly rent of 13*s.* 8*d.* for the fourth part of the said manor of Horton, co. Bucks., held in the same manner. Orig. m. 39.

24 July. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Surrey to deliver up possession to Elizabeth Wyndesore of certain knights' fees, &c. pertaining to the manor of Stanwell, co. Midd., in the hands of the Crown owing to the death of her late husband, Thomas Wyndesore; viz., a knight's

1 Hen. VII. fee, a rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from the manor of Peperharowe, held of the said manor; a knight's fee, a rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from the manor of Hurtmere, co. Surrey, held in the same manner; half a knight's fee, a rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from the manor of Estbury, co. Surrey, held in the same manner; half a knight's fee, a rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from the manor of Downe, co. Surrey, held in the same manner; half a knight's fee, a rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from the manor of Bageshote, co. Surrey, held in the same manner; half a knight's fee, a rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from the manor of Westhorsley, co. Surrey, held in the same manner; the fourth part of a knight's fee, a rent of 20*d.* every 24th week, suit of court every three weeks, and heriot from a tenement called Berewhull, and a hundred acres of land lying in the field of Kyngestonfeld, on the east side of Cepedgrowe and on the west side of Skynershege, co. Surrey, held in the same manner. Orig. m. 38. 1486.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and enterly beloved uncle Lord Welles, to our trusty and welbeloved Sir Robert Dymmok, knyght, Christofer Radclif, and Richard Spert, and to every of you, gretyng. And wheras it is compleyned unto us by certeyn our tenauntes of our town of Stopyng, and other of our seid honours, how that by stoppyng of a dyke, called the Northdyke, within the same honour, thorow whych the water hath used and ought to have course, our seid tenaunts ben greatly anoyed, hurt, and wronged, and without it may have the course of olde tyme accustumed it shalbe grete hurte, as well unto our seid tenauntes as unto us in dealyng of our landes and rents there; by reson of the same, we, 24 July.

1486. desiryng our right to be reserved and kept, and not wyllyng any our tenauntes ne other to be hurt or wronged, wol therfore and desire you, and not the lesse charge, that, in as goodly hast as ye wel may, ye do call bifore you, yointly and severally, our tenauntes and inhabitauntes of the townes next adjoynyng unto the seid dyke, and ther enquere of the premissez, and sett such direccioun therin as by your discrecyouns and wisdomes shalbe thought moost indifferent for the ase of our seid tenauntes; savyng our right in that behalf. Yeven, &c. the xxiiij. day of Juli, the furst yere, &c. L. W. &c. 1 Hen. VII.

24 July. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere & chambrelains of oure Eschequier, greting. Where acquitance is deliverd unto us by John Darys, procuratour and attourney of and for the cuntrey of Byskey, subgiettes unto oure cousin the king of Spaigne, for suche matiers as have paste betwene us and the said cuntrey. We therfore wolle and straitly charge you that, incontinent upon the sighte herof, ye deliver unto the said John Darys xl. li. in redy money; nat setting any prest or other charge upon hym for the same. And thies oure lettres shalbe unto you therin sufficient warrant and discharge. Yeven under our prive sealle, at oure paloys of Westminster, the xxiiij. daie of Juyll, the furst yere of our reigne. S. B. No. 248.

24 July. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambreleyns of our Eschequier, greting. We wol and charge you that, of suche money as nowe restethe in youre handes, ye, immediatly after the receipte of thies oure lettres, paye and content unto our welbeloved servant Peter Casa nana, marischall of oure trumpettes, the somme of xxi^{ti} poundes for baners for oure saide trumpettes, withoute any prest or other charge setting upon hym in that behalf. And thies oure lettres shalbe your warrant sufficient anempst us atte alle tymes hereafter. Yeven

1 Hen. VII. undre oure pryve sealle, atte oure paloys of Westminstre, the xxiiij. day of July, the furst yere of oure reigne. S. B. No. 249. 1486.

Grant, during pleasure, to William Wodeward, of the office of chief carpenter of the town of Calais and marches of the same, and of surveyor of all the carpentry thereof, with wages, emoluments, &c., such as John Pacche herefore enjoyed in the same office, from 6 April last, since when he has performed the duties of his office. 20 July. P. S. No. 1021. 24 July.

Grant to William Tyler, knight for the king's body, of the next presentation to the deanery of the college of the Virgin Mary, in the town of Shrewesbury, Lichfield dioc. 4 June. P. S. No. 1022. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19). 24 July.

Grant, for life, to Faulcon, one of the king's pursuivants, of an annuity of 10*l.* 1 March. P. S. No. 1023. 24 July.

Henry, &c. To our welbeloved in God, the prior of the monastery of Bromhille, gretyng. And for somoch as it is compleyned and shewed bifore us, in our counsell of our duchie of Lancaster, by Robert Wright, fermor of our waren of coneys within our lordshipe of Methwolde, parcell of our duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of Norfolk, that ye have entred into our seid waren divers and often tymes, and have taken our game, wherby the profitte therof is gretly diminished, to our great displeasor, if it so be. We therfor wol and charge you that ye appere personelly bifore our chancellour and counsell of our seid duchy, at our paloys of Westminster, the xv^me^ of Seynt Myghell the archangell next commyng, there and than to answere unto the premissez. Not failyng herof, as ye wol avoide the jeopardye that may ensue. Yeven the xxv. day of Jule, the furst yer, &c. L. W., &c. 25 July.

The like letters to Sir Edmund Benyfelde, knight, and to Richard Gyndale, esquire.

Mandate to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to allow the sheriff of Beds. and Bucks. 16*l.* in his ac- 25 July.

1486. compt for his office, upon the following grounds:—George Ingleton, esq., sheriff cos. Beds. and Bucks., is chargeable, inter alia, in his accompt for his office with 16*l.* "for "George Ferby, of a fyne for licence to accorde with "Kateryne, which was the wif of Robert Whiting-"ham, knight, John Verney, squier, and Margaret, his "wif, of plee of covenaunt of the manors of Salden, "Donyngton, West Orchard, in Hertwell and Stone, "called Seynclere Manoire:" the king pardons the said sheriff, John Ferby, and all other tenants, occupiers, or farmers of the said manors, the said 16*l.* S. B. No. 250. 1 Hen. VII.

25 July. By the king.

Righte reverende Fadre in God, right trusty and welbeloved, we grete you wele. And wol and charge you that, undre our prive seal being in your keping, ye doo make our lettres in fourme folowing:—Henry, by the grace of God, &c. To oure right trusty and welbeloved counseillor the Lord Dynham, oure treasorere of England, greting. We wol and charge you that, incontinent upone the sight of these, ye delivere, for thuse of our derest wif the quene, unto her servaunt Richard Smyth, yoman of her robes, ten yerdes of crimesyn velvet and six yerdes of tawny damaske. And thies our lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge in that behalve. Yeven, &c. And thiese our lettres shalbe your warrant. Yeven undre our signet, at our palais of Westminster, the xxvth day of Juyll, the furst yere of our reigne.

(In dorso.)

To the right reverende Fader in God, our right trusty and welbeloved, the bishope of Excestre, keper of our prive seal.

S. B. No. 251.

26 July. Grant, for life, to Thomas Lye, of the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, with wages of 12*d.* a day out of the customs, &c. in the ports of the towns of Plymmouth and Fowey, and in all ports and places adjoining thereto, and a livery from the great wardrobe at Christmas, in the same way as he held the same office temp.

1 Hen. VII. Edw. IV. Further grant of wages from 28 Aug. last, since when he has performed the duties of his office. 24 July. P. S. No. 1024. 1486.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved knight Sir William Evers, receivour of our honour of Pykeryng and Pykerynglithe, parcel of our duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of York, and in his absence to his deputie there, and to either of theym, gretyng. And wheras, by our noble progenitours, our lordship and manour of Esyngwold and Hoby parcel of our seid honour and duchie, in oure countie of York, heath ben graunted by patent and letene to ferme by indenture, undre our seal of the same duchie, unto divers persons at sondry tymes, as in the recordes thereof it apperith at large, alle which grauntes of divers of our seid lordshipe, by reason of divers actes in our Parliament late holden at Westminster, stond voide and of noon effect. Wherfore we wol and charge you that, from terme to terme, accordyng to your seid office, ye endeavour you to aske and levie fines, and in our name, of the balyffes and graves of our seid lordship, al issues and revenues commyng and growyng of the same from the begynnyng of our reigne, yeldyng unto us yerely due accompte bifore our auditours of our seid duchie in that behalf. Not failyng herof, as our trust is in you, and as ye entend to please us. Yeven, &c. xxvi. day of Jule, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 26 July.

Mandate to Guy Faerfax, knight, and other his fellows, justices of the peace within the county of Lancaster, to surcease from making out any process against Thomas Laurence, John Laurence, Thomas Lathum, George Couper, Thomas Southworth, Edward Calfeson, John Holme, Mathew Holme, Rogier Trenchmare, John Bateson, Robert Fediller otherwise called Robert Fenycoo, Edmund Yates, William Burton, John Coke, George Archer, Christopher Wilson otherwise called Christopher Kendale, Robert Gardyner, Thomas Sothworth, William Taillior, Jakes Drynkeale, Robert Cane (or Cave), John 26 July.

1486. Holme, John Wynder, Thomas Maderer, John Potter, Richard Croft, Christopher Waytheman, George Hebiltwaytt, Thomas Waytheman, Robert Banes, Christopher Banes, John Banes, Robert Handwyn, William Handwyn, Richard Handwyn, Richard Atkynson, James Atkynson, Edmund Lucas, John Thomson, John Birkeheved, William Thomson, Christopher Corbett, Edmund Waytheman, John Nicholson, Richard Bowre, Edward Calfeson, and John Birkeheved, son of John Birkeheved, indicted of riot in the said county, in the days of the full noble prince King Edward IV., before the justices of the peace there for that time being, which indictments remain before the present justices of record, and whereupon process is awarded against the said persons. If process has been awarded, writs of supersedeas are to be issued by Adam Berkehede, clerk of the Crown within the said county, to such sheriff or sheriffs as the process is made or awarded unto. S. B. No. 252. 1 Hen. VII.

26 July. Grant to Margaret Elryngton, widow, of the custody of the manor of Ihame, alias Igham, co. Sussex, for 10 years, at a yearly rent of 40*s.*, and an improved yearly rent of 13*s.* 4*d.*, keeping up repairs, &c. Orig. m. 27.

27 July. Grant, for life, to John Asteley, knt. (upon surrender into the Chancery of letters patent dated at Westminster, 7 Dec. last, the same being insufficient in law), of an annuity of 40*l.* from Michaelmas last; 20*l.* thereof out of the issues, &c. of the counties of Beds. and Bucks., and 20*l.* out of the issues, &c. of the county of Salop. 24 July. P. S. No. 1025. Pat. p. 4. m. 19 (6).

28 July. This bill witnesseth that Piers, bisshope of Excestre, keper of the kinges pryve sealle, by thandes of Symone Salet, the xxviijth of July, the furste yere of the reigne of Kynge Henry the viith, hath receyved of Thomas Combes and Sampson Nortone, custumers in the porte of Suthampton, by thandes of Thomas Stokes, ten poundes, parcelle of his Fee assigned unto hym in the said port,

1 Hen. VII. due at the feste of Estre last passed. In witnesse wherof to this byll the said Symone hath sette hys sealle the day and yere abovesaid. 1486.

(L.S.)

By the king. 28 July.

Right reverend fadre in God, right trusty and welbiloved, we grete you wele and late you wite that we have graunted that Sr John Bouteiller, knight, the Chauntre of Saint Malos, and the Seneschalle of Hennebond, ambassiatours of our derrest cousin the duc of Bretaigne, shal mowe discharge by theym, theire factours or attorneys, in our crikes of Waymouth and Milcom, fourty fardelles of vitre canvas, every fardelle conteygnyng thre hundreth elves, withoute any custome payeng unto us in that behalve. Wherfore we wol and charge you that, undre oure prive seal being in youre kepyng, ye doo make oure lettres, in as effectuelle wise as ye can, to the customeres of oure porte of Pole to suffre the said ambassiatours soo to doo, and oure othre lettres, undre the said seal, to the treasourer and barons of oure Eschequier to yeve unto the said customers due allowance concernyng the said custome in thaccompt or accomptes which the same customers bee in yelding or next shall yeld afore thaym. And these oure lettres shalbe youre warraunt Yeven undre oure signet, at our palois of Westminster, the xxviij. day of Juylle, the furst yere of oure regne.

To the right reverend fader in God, oure right trusty and welbiloved, the bisshop of Excestre, keper of oure prive seal.

Pardon and release to Ralph Betery (or Botery), alias Vicars (or Vycars) late of Warrewik, co. Warwick, yeoman, of all offences committed by him, and from all penalties attaching thereto. Restitution of lands, goods, chattels, &c. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9). 28 July.

Grant, for life, to George Lovekyn, of London, tailor (upon surrender into the Chancery of letters patent dated 28 July.

1486. 19 Nov. last), of the office of serjeant tailor in the king's great wardrobe, with wages of 12*d.* a day from 6 Oct. last (since when he has performed the duties of his office) out of the customs in the ports of the towns of Exeter and Dertmouth, and in all ports and places adjoining thereto; grant also, for life, of 100*s.* a year for a house in the city of London, from 6 Oct. last, out of the same customs. 24 July. P. S. No. 1026. 1 Hen. VII.

28 July. Grant, for life, to Edward Worseley, gent. (in consideration of his having surrendered into the Chancery letters patent dated 22 Nov. last, Pat. p. 1. m. 6 (30), and French Roll, m. 6 (10), which are insufficient in law), of the lordship or manor of Bavelyngham, in the parts of Picardy, with everything in the fullest manner pertaining thereto, and two fisheries, called le Bavelingwater and Ramersham, abutting between the said lordship and the lordship of Guysnes, &c., to farm at a yearly rent of 20*l.*, which William Pirton, knt., and Robert Radclif, esq., heretofore paid as farmers thereof. Proviso in case of a war arising. Allowance of wood out of the forest of Guysnes similar to former farmers, &c. 19 July. P. S. No. 1027. French Roll, m. 14 (2).

29 July. Grant, for life, to Robert Marleton, of the office of black rod before the king at the feast of St. George, in Wyndesore Castle, with fees out of the petit serjeanty and other issues of the counties of Beds. and Bucks., upon surrender of a patent dated 20 Sept. last (p. 1. m. 21) granting him the same office for life, with wages, &c. out of the manor of Coldkenyngton, the revenues of which have since, by an act of the Parliament held 7 Nov. last (Rot. Parl. s. 31), been appropriated to the royal household.

Writ of liberate to the sheriff of Beds. and Bucks. in pursuance of the above. 1 August. Pat. p. 4. m. 12 (13).

29 July. Grant, in tail male, to the king's most dear cousin John de Veer, earl of Oxford, the king's great chamberlain, of the castle, lordship, and manor of Framlyngham,

1 Hen. VII. the manors of Kelshale, Haccheston, Pesenhale, Walton cum Trymley, and the hundred of Loose, co. Suff., and the manor of Willington, co. Bedf., in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of John, late duke of Norfolk, and by virtue of an act of the Parliament lately held at Westminster; also grant of the manors of Borham, Walkefare, and Powers, in Waltham Parva, in the county of Essex, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Francis, Viscount Lovel, and by virtue of an act of the same Parliament; also grant of the manor of Botesworth, co. Northampton, and all lands, &c. in Botesworth, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of William Catesby, esq., and by virtue of an act of the same Parliament; also grant of a large house called le Herber, in the parish of St. Mary Bothowe, in the ward of Dowgate, London, and another messuage situate in the same parish and ward, and four messuages in Busshelane, in the same parish and ward, late belonging to George, duke of Clarence; further grant of the manor or lordship of Busshy, co. Hertf., until a grant of lands equivalent to it shall be made to him or his heirs: all these possessions to be held by the knights' fees and other services therefore due in times past. 22 July. P. S. No. 1028. Pat. p. 4. m. 9 (16). 1486.

Grant to John Ley, esq., of the Isle of Wight, of the office of steward of the lordships and manors of Swayneston, Welowe, and Thorley, in the said isle, during the minority of Edward, earl of Warwick. 27 July. P. S. No. 1029. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19). 29 July.

Grant, during pleasure, to Thomas Lynom, of the offices of surveyor and receiver of the lordship of Middelham, co. York, with wages, &c. out of the said lordship. 26 July. P. S. No. 1030. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19). 29 July.

Grant to William Ferrour of the office of marshal of the king's stud, and of his youug horses, as well within the parks of Tonworth, Fernhill, Budbroke, as in all 31 July.

1486. other places within the county of Warwick, from Mi- 1 Hen. VII.
chaelmas last past, during the minority of the earl of Warwick, and as long as the earldom of Warwick shall be in the hands of the Crown; with wages of a penny a day out of the issues of the lordship of ; grant also of a tenement, with a forge thereunto belonging, lying upon the high "pament," within the borough of Warwick; to be held in the same manner; without accompt, &c. S. B. No. 253.

31 July. The king confirms to Richard Hooke, for his life, the chantry or the custody of the chantry of Abirford, Berwyk, and Saxton, in co. York, which he had previously granted by letters patent, under the duchy seal, to William Saulby. The said William Saulby having at his own free will surrendered in favour of the said Richard Hooke, the said letters patent in the Chancery of the said duchy to be cancelled. L. R. 81.

1 Aug. Grant to the king's beloved councillor Thomas, earl of Ormond, chamberlain to the king's most dear consort Elizabeth, queen of England, France, and lady of Ireland (in consideration of good and acceptable service to the king and his said consort, to their singular pleasure), of an annuity of 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* from Easter last, during pleasure. 31 July. P. S. No. 1031. Pat. p. 4. m. 8 (17).

1 Aug. Grant to Thomas Ridley, priest, of the pension which the abbot of the monastery of Reding is bound, by reason of his new creation, to give unto a clerk of the king's nomination; to hold until he shall be promoted to a competent benefice by the abbot. 30 July. P. S. No. 1032.

1 Aug. Grant, for life, to Margaret Tailboys, gentlewoman (" in consideration of the true and faithfulle hert whiche " oure welbeloved oratrix hathe borne towardes us, and " that she entendethe to be oure beedwoman during hir " life, and for the same cause of contemplacioun and " prayer onely is fully set and disposed in her mynde to " forsake the vanities and fantasies of the worlde "), of the first and next voidance or room of a sister in the hospital

1 Hen. VII. of Saint Kateryne, beside the Tower of London. 20 July. 1486.
P. S. No. 1033. Pat. p. 4. m. 6 (19).

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Piers de Champagne, esq., 20 marks, by way of reward, in consideration of the true and agreeable service that he has done for the king, and daily doth, to his great costs and charges. P. S. No. 1034. 1 Aug.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of oure Eschequer, greting. Where there is by us due unto oure welbeloved Maister William Forster, chanoun of the cathedralle churche of Powles, for thre horses of hym bought for the behove of oure derrest wiff the quene, the somme of xi. li. vi. s. viij. d. We, willing his contentacion in that behalve, as right requireth, charge you that, forthwith upon the sight hereof, ye doo paye unto the saide Maistre William Forster, or to the bringer of thies in his name, the saide somme of xi. li. vi. s. viij. d. and every parte thereof, withoute delaye or contradiccion. And thies oure lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge in that party. Yeven undre oure prive seal, at oure paloys of Westminster, the secound daye of August, the furst yere of oure reign. S. B. No. 254. 2 Aug.

Grant, for life, to Master Stephen Fryon (upon surrender of letters patent dated 3 Oct. last, granting the same office to him with a salary from a different source), of the office of clerk of the signet and secretary for the French tongue to the king, with a salary of 40*l.* a year (from 23 Aug. last) out of the customs and subsidies of the port of Bristol. 31 July. P. S. No. 1035. Pat. p. 4. m. 12 (13). 2 Aug.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to deliver to Master William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper in the Chancery, a tally for 400*l.*, which he has delivered over to the king without receiving any warrant or matter sufficient for his discharge in that behalf. P. S. No. 1036. 2 Aug.

1486. 2 Aug. Licence to Robert Logge, clk., John Fissher, serjeant-at-law, and John Wiche, clk., to alienate the manors of Slymbrigge and Hurst, co. Glouc., to William, earl of Notyngham, James, bishop of Norwich, Christopher Willughby, knt., James Strangwissh, knt., and Edmund Jenney, gent., to hold to them and the issue of the said earl for ever; with remainder, in default thereof, to Edward Willughby and Richard Willughby, his brother, for life; with remainder to Thomas, marquis of Dorset, in tail mail general; and, in default thereof, remainder to the right heirs of the said earl of Notyngham. S. B. No. 255. Pat. p. 4. m. 14 (11). 1 Hen. VII.

2 Aug. Licence to Edward Willughby, Robert Logge, clk., John Fissher, serjeant-at-law, and John Wiche, clk., to alienate the castle and manor of Berkeley, and the manors of Hamme, Appulugge, and Hinton, co. Glouc., to William, earl marshal and of Notyngham, lord marshal of England, and Viscount Berkeley, in fee tail general; with remainder in tail male general to Thomas, marquis of Dorset; and with remainder, in default thereof, to the right heirs of the said earl. S. B. No. 256. Pat. p. 4. m. 14 (11).

2 Aug. Licence to Edward Willughby, Robert Logge, clk., John Fissher, serjeant-at-law, and John Wiche, clk., to alienate the manors of Alkyngton and Camme, co. Glouc., and Portbury, co. Somerset, to Thomas, archbishop of York, John, earl of Oxford, William, earl of Notyngham, and Anne his wife, and Richard Fitzhugh, knt., Lord Fitzhugh, George Fitzhugh, dean of Lincoln cathedral, Thomas Fenys, and Thomas Hoo, to hold to them and to the issue of the said earl of Notyngham for ever; in default of such issue, to Thomas, marquis of Dorset, in tail male general; and, in default thereof, to the right heirs of the said earl of Notyngham for ever. S. B. No. 257. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14).

2 Aug. Licence to William, earl marshal and of Notyngham, lord marshal of England, viscount and lord of Berkeley,

1 Hen. VII. to alienate the manor of Cowley, co. Glouc., to Edward Willoughby, Robert Logge, clk., and John Wiche, clk., to the intent that they may limit the same to the use of the said earl of Notyngham in fee tail general; with remainder to Thomas, marquis of Dorset, in tail male general; and, in default thereof, to the right heirs of the said earl for ever. S. B. No. 258. Pat. p. 4. m. 14 (11). 1486.

Grant, during pleasure, to Nicholas Gaynesford, esq., and Robert, son of John Gaynesford, his grandson, of a moiety of the manor of Chebsey, and a moiety of a hamlet called Shalford, co. Staff., late belonging to Humfrey Stafford, and granted to the Crown upon the forfeiture of the said Humfrey by an act of the Parliament held at Westm., 7 Nov. last; also grant of all the back rents, &c. accruing from the day of the above-mentioned forfeiture. 2 Aug. P. S. No. 1037. Del. 17 Oct., 1 Hen. VII.[1] Enrolled, Pat. *2 Hen. VII.* p. 1. m. 20. 2 Aug.

Grant, during good behaviour, to Thomas Metcalf, of the office of surveyor of the castle and lordship of Middilham, and of all manors, lordships, &c. within the liberties of Richmond, co. York, taking out of the issues thereof 10 marks sterling per annum for executing the same office. 1 Aug. P. S. No. 1038. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 (24). 2 Aug.

Grant, for life, to James Metcalf, esq., of the office of master forester or master of the game within the forests of Wenslawdale, Radale, and Bisshopdale, and of the office of keeper or parker of the park of Woodhall, in the forest of Wenslawdale, co. York, with 10*l.* a year out of the issues of Middilham as master forester, and 2*d.* a day as parker. 1 Aug. P. S. No. 1039. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 (24). 2 Aug.

Grant, for life, to Louis de Brutalhs, an esquire for the king's body, of an annuity of 20*l.*, from the Annunciation of our Lady last past, out of the issues, &c. of the barony of Brambere, by the hands of lord la War. S. B. No. 259. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 (24). 3 Aug.

[1] This should be 2 Hen. VII. See enrolment in the second year.

1486. 3 Aug. Grant, reciting that the wardship and marriage of Edward Stafford, son and heir of Henry, late duke of Buckingham, and the custody of the possessions of the said late duke (except those appointed for Katherine, duchess of Bedford), had been granted to the Crown, during the minority of the said Edward, by an act of the Parliament lately held at Westminster; that the king had subsequently granted to Margaret, countess of Richmond, his mother, the wardship, &c. of the said Edward and of Henry, another son of the said late duke, with 500 marks a year, out of the issues of the said possessions, for their maintenance; and that, by another act of the same Parliament, 500*l.* per annum out of the lordships of Holdernesse, 200*l.* in the county of Stafford, and 300*l.* in the lordships of Breknoke, parcels of the said possessions, had been directed to be taken and applied towards the expenses of the king's household. The king now grants to his said mother all the possessions above mentioned, with all things thereto pertaining (except knights' fees, wardships, marriages, and reliefs), and all issues, &c. thereof, beyond the sums above stated; to hold during the minority of the said Edward, at some rent to be agreed upon between them before Easter next. 2 Aug. P. S. No. 1040. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 (5). 1 Hen. VII.

3 Aug. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelains of our Eschequier, greting. Where as ther is by us due unto oure welbiloved servaunt William Purdaunce, for certain velvet by hym delivered for the use of oure derrest wife the quene, for thapparailling of hir horseliter, the somme of twenty and two poundes nyne shillinges and eighte penyes. We, desiring his hasty contentacion in this partie, wol and charge you that, incontinent upone the sight herof, ye doo paye unto the said William Purdaunce the same somme of xxij. li. ix. s. viij. d., and every part therof, without delaye or contradiccion, and without any prest or othre charge to

1 Hen. VII. be sette upone hym for the same. And thies oure lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge in that behalve. Yevene undre oure prive sealle, at our palays of Westminster, the thrid daie of August, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 1041. 1486.

Grant, in tail male, to John Fogge, knt., of the lordship or manor of Sutbery, co. Bedford, a messuage called le George, in the town of St. Neots, co. Hunts., and three messuages in the parish of St. Laurence, in the Old Jewry, within the city of London, in the hands of the Crown through the forfeiture of Humfrey Stafford, esq., and by virtue of an act made in the Parliament held at Westminster, 7 Nov. last, with the issues, &c. thereof from 22 Aug. last; without accompt. The same rents and services to be paid and rendered for the above premises which were given the day before the commencement of the king's reign therefore. 26 July. P. S. No. 1042. 3 Aug.

Grant, during pleasure, to John Fogge, knt., of the offices of surveyor and steward of Chilham Castle, and of the manors of Chilham and Hothfeld, co. Kent, and of all possessions late belonging to Thomas Roos, knt., late Lord Roos, in the county aforesaid, with all fees, &c. anciently belonging to such offices out of the said premises. 7 March. P. S. No. 1043. 3 Aug.

General pardon to Thomas Payne, of Peryth, co. Cumb., merchant, with divers aliases. 1 Aug. P. S. No. 1044. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 (5). 3 Aug.

General pardon to Thomas Hasting, alias Thomas Thomas, of London, fishmonger (with other aliases). 1 Aug. P. S. No. 1045. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9). 3 Aug.

General pardon to Hector Rayneford, gentleman. 1 Aug. P. S. No. 1046. Pat. 4. p. m. 20 (5). 3 Aug.

Grant, for life, to Richard Rake, of the office of ranger, of the forest of Grovele, co. Wilts., with wages, &c. (from Michaelmas last) such as John de Knottyngley, ranger of the said forest, temp. Edw. III. was allowed in the same office. 2 July. P. S. No. 1047. 3 Aug.

1486. 4 Aug. Grant, during pleasure, to John Wilson, of the office of bailiff of Harom and Carleton, co. York, with wages, &c. such as Henry Pullo heretofore enjoyed in the same office. 31 July. P. S. No. 1048. 1 Hen. VII.

5 Aug. Grant, during pleasure, to Otwell Boteler (in consideration of good and faithful service to the king), of an annuity of 20 marks, from 6 April last, out of the issues, &c. of the town of Calais and the marches thereof. 17 June. P. S. No. 1049. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 (5).

5 Aug. Grant, during good behaviour, to Andrew Dymmok, of the office of solicitor-general, with a salary of 10*l.* a year (from 19 Oct. last) out of the king's treasure in the receipt of the Exchequer, by the hands of the treasurer and chamberlains thereof for the time being. S. B. No. 260. Pat. p. 4. m. 9 (16).

5 Aug. General pardon to Thomas Otter, of Middelham, co. York, gent., alias Thomas Oter, late of Barkeswell, co. Warwick, gent., alias Thomas Ottur, gent. 4 Aug. P. S. No. 1050. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 (5).

5 Aug. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelains of oure Eschequiere, greting. We, for certayne consideraciouns us moeving, wol and charge you that unto oure trusty and right welbeloved servaunt Sir William Slefeld, knight, toward the costes and expenses by him late doone in oure ambassade with the king of Romayns, ye, furthwith upone the sight hereof, delyver or do to be delyvered the summe of twenty poundes sterling, in redy money, to be takene of oure yeft, by wey of reward, without prest or any othre charge to be sette upone him in any manerwise for the same. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre suffisaunt warrant and discharge in that behalve. Yeven undre oure prive seel, at our manere of Shene, the vth daie of August, the furst yere of our reigne. P. S. No. 1051.

6 Aug. Sampson Norton and Thomas Lye are appointed commissioners to inquire as to what wools and woolfels have

1 Hen. VII. been shipped and exported at the port of Chichester, co. Sussex, without the king's licence and without payment of customs, and by whom. The inquisitions taken thereupon are to be certified into Chancery. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 d. (5 d). 1486.

Memorandum quod sexto die Augusti, anno regni regis Henrici Septimi primo, ista billa liberata fuit domino cancellario Angliæ, apud Westmonasterium exequenda.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Sciatis quod nos de fidelitate, industria et circumspectione provida dilecti et fidelis nostri Willielmi Tyler, militis, ac dilectorum nobis Johannis Clerk, et Thomæ Lynom, seu eorum duorum, quamplurimum confidentes dedimus, et commisimus, ac tenore præsentium damus et committimus, eisdem Willielmo, Johanni et Thomæ plenam potestatem et auctoritatem ad recipiendum et admittendum ad obedientiam et ligeantiam nostras omnes et singulos illos rebelles nostros, qui infra comitatum Eborum, et præcipue infra dominia nostra de Midelham et Richemond, nunc existunt, gratiæ et ligeantiæ nostræ se submittere volentes, quos juxta discretiones suas expediens et necesse viderint receptandos, ac eis, juxta discretiones suas, promittendum, et sub sigillis præfatorum Willielmi, Johannis et Thomæ concedendum gratiam et pardonationem nostras tam de vita, terris, bonis et catallis suis, quam de quibuscumque proditionibus, rebellionibus, feloniis, insurrectionibus, transgressionibus, et aliis malefactis et offensis nobis, seu contra nos, per eos seu eorum aliquem qualitercumque factis sive perpetratis, necnon ad habendum et perquirendum de gratia nostra litteras nostras patentes de hujusmodi pardonatione, sub magno sigillo nostro, eis et eorum cuilibet de præmissis conficiendas, si pro eis prosequi voluerint. In cujus, etc. Teste, etc. S. B. No. 261. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 (5). 6 Aug.

1486. 7 Aug. Commissioners are appointed in the counties of Bedford, Bucks., Northampton, Sussex, Surrey, Kent, Herts., Essex, Middlesex, Dorset, Warwick, and Wilts., to inquire into all concealed lands, goods, and chattels; touching lands given in mortmain without licence; concerning all lands held in chief, purchased, alienated, or entered into without licence; and touching the possessions, &c. late belonging to Richard, late duke of Gloucester, John, late duke of Norfolk, Thomas, late earl of Surrey, Francis Lovell, late Viscount Lovell, Walter Devereux, late lord of Ferrers, knt., John Zouche, knt., Richard Charlton, knt., Robert Haryngton, knt., Richard Radcliff, knt., William Berkeley, late of Weley, knt., Robert Brakenbury, knt., Thomas Pilkyngton, knt., Robert Medilton, knt., James Haryngton, knt., Walter Hopton, knt., William Catesby, Roger Wake, William Sapcote, late of Hunts., Humphrey Stafford, William Clerke, late of Wenlok, Richard Watkyns, serjeant-at-arms, Richard Renyll or Revyll, late of Derbyshire, Thomas Pulter, late of Kent, the younger, John Walsshe alias Hastynges, John Kendall, late secretary to the late duke of Gloucester, John Buk', Andrew Ratt, and William Brampton, late of Burford, in the same counties. The inquisitions made thereupon are to be returned into the Exchequer. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 d (15 d). 1 Hen. VII.

7 Aug. Grant, for life, to Hugh Peshale, knight of the king's body, of an annuity of 20*l.* 5 Aug. S. B. No. 262. Pat. p. 4. m. 20 (5).

7 Aug. Grant, for life, to John Trasillion (in consideration of his fealty and cordial love towards the king, and of his being imbued with excellence and knowledge in divers arts, occupations, and sciences), of an annuity of 20*l.* sterling. 2 Aug. P. S. No. 1052. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9).

8 Aug. Exemption to John Hothersall, notary public and citizen and stationer of London, from being compelled to serve in any office under the Crown, and from all penal-

1 Hen. VII. ties which he may incur from refusing so to serve. 5 Aug. 1486.
P. S. No. 1053. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 (9).

Grant, during pleasure, to John le Moyne, esq., of an annuity of 20*l.* sterling out of the customs of the port of Southampton. 6 Aug. P. S. No. 1054. Pat. p. 4. m. 8 (17). 9 Aug.

Grant to Richard Reynold of the office of bailiff of the lordships and manors of Sutton and Potton, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Bedford; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed wages, fees, &c. L. R. 164. 10 Aug.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourere and chambrelains of our Eschequier, greting. We wolle and charge you, that forthwith upone the recept herof, ye delivere unto our trusty and welbeloved knight Sir Roger Cotton, maister of the horses with oure derrest wif the quene, the somme of oone hundred mark sterling, to thentent that he therwith may make contentacion and paiement for suche thinges concernyng the charge of his said office as he hathe ordeyned and also must purvey ayenst hir next remoeving, whiche shalbe now in alle haste. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre sufficient warrant and discharge anempst us in that behalve. Yeven under oure prive sealle, at oure manoir of Shene, the xiith daie of Auguste, the furste yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 1055. 12 Aug.

Grant, during pleasure, to Christopher Caton, of the ferry of Paddistowe, with the haven Cathe of the port of St. Ives, co. Cornwall. 2 Nov. P. S. No. 1056. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 (24). 12 Aug.

Grant, for life (from 21 Aug. last), to John, earl of Oxford (in consideration of good, gratuitous, and praiseworthy services done to the king in times past and daily at the present time), of the office of keeper of the lions, lionesses, and leopards which are in the Tower of London at the present time, and which shall at any 13 Aug.

1486. future time be there, with the place appointed for the keeper and the place appointed for the said animals: 12*d.* a day as wages for himself; 6*d.* a day for support of each of the beasts. S. B. No. 263. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14). 1 Hen. VII.

14 Aug. General pardon to Thomas Pilkyngton, of Pilkyngton, co. Lanc., knt., alias Thomas Pilkyngton, of Bury, co. Lanc., knt., alias Thomas Pilkyngton, son of Edmund Pilkyngton, esq., in the same county, alias Thomas Pilkyngton, son of Edmund Pilkyngton, of Bryssingham, co. Norff., knt., alias Thomas Pilkyngton, son of Edmund Pilkyngton, late of Colchester, for all offences committed before the 1st inst., and for all the consequences of such offences; also all goods, debts, and chattels which he possessed on the 22nd day of Aug., 1 Hen. VII., and which were granted to the Crown by an act of the Parliament held at Westm., 7 Nov., are restored to him; also it is granted that he shall be a person able in law to plead and be impleaded in all courts whatsoever, and capable of purchasing and possessing lands to him and his heirs; and that if he shall have been convicted or attainted, or his blood rendered corrupt through any crime, treason, or other cause, all incapacity arising therefrom shall cease and his blood shall be restored. 9 Aug. P. S. No. 1057. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 (24).

15 Aug. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To oure righte trusty & welbeloved the Lord Dynham, oure tresourere of England, greting. We late you wite that, for divers consideracions us moevyng, we have commaunded oure fulle trusty servaunt Morrice Martyne, oon of the marishalles of oure halle, to goo unto the see to execute and perfourme certaine oure pleasurs there. We therefore wolle and charge you that, fourthwithe upone the sighte of thies oure lettres, ye delivere unto oure saide servaunt the somme of ten markes for the wages of suche maryners and othre men as shalbe nedefull to be had for

1 Hen. VII. the saufgarde and guiding of suche shippes as he shall have within him for thaccomplisshement of oure saide pleasures in this behalf. Faile ye not herof, as we specially trust you. And thies our lettres shalbe unto you atte alle tymes sufficient warrant and discharge. Yeven undre oure pryve sealle, atte oure manoire of Shene, the xv. daye of Auguste, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 1058. 1486.

Licence to Richard Welby, esq., and William Dunthorn, gentleman, to import and export goods and merchandize in one or more vessels, and in one or more journeys, without paying customs, the customs upon which shall not exceed 200*l.*, granted upon the following recital:—On the 16th of July, 20 Edw. IV., the king (in compensation for a sum of 400*l.*, which they had paid at his special request to certain Spanish merchants, for the use of divers subjects of his cousin, the king of Castile, who had suffered various injuries at the hands of sea pirates, against the form of truces existing between the said kings) granted, by letters patent, that they might import and export goods and merchandize without payment of customs, until they should be reimbursed the said sum of 400*l.* Acting thereupon, they had received 200*l.* of the 400*l.* King Henry VII., upon surrender of their former letters patent, enables them by this licence to recover what is still due to them. 31 July. S. B. No. 264. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 (24). 16 Aug.

Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the treasourer and chambrelaynes of oure Eschequier, gretyng. Where as we certaynly undrestande that ther is by us due and owing unto oure welbiloved Henry Rousselyne the somme of fourtene poundes sterlinges, for 14 dosin skynnes of bogy by hym delivered to oure use. We, willing hym to have contentacione therof, as righte requirethe, charge and commaunde you that ye, incontinently upone the sighte herof, pay and deliver unto hym 16 Aug.

1486. the said somme of 14*l.*, in redy money, withoute eny prest or othre charge to be sette upone hym in any maner wise for the same. And thies oure lettres shalbe youre suffisant warrant anempst us in that behalve. Yeven undre oure prive seelle, at oure manoir of Shene, the 16 day of August, the furst yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 1059. 1 Hen. VII.

16 Aug. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the treasourere and chambreleins of oure Eschequiere, greting. We woll and charge you that, forthwith upon the sight hereof, ye delivere unto oure full trusty servaunt John Reding, avener with oure derrest wif the quene, for thexpenses of hir palfrais and horses, and othere necessaries that belonge to the same, the somme of fyfty poundes sterlinges, without any preste or other charge to be set upone hym for the same. And thies oure lettres shalbe unto you sufficient warrant and discharge at alle tymes. Yeven under oure prive sealle, at oure manoyre of Shene, the xvi. daie of Auguste, the furste yere of our reigne. P. S. No. 1060.

16 Aug. Grant to Simon Digby, esq., of the offices of steward, for life, and receiver and bailiff, during pleasure, of the lordship of Bedale, co. York. P. S. No. 1061. Pat. p. 4. m. 5 (20).

17 Aug. Grant, for life, to Raynold Devy, of an annuity of 100*s.* out of the issues, &c. of the manor of Pennalle, in Merionnethshire. 26 July. P. S. No. 1062. Pat. p. 4. m. 1. (24).

17 Aug. General pardon to James Haryngton, late of Brereley, co. York, knt., alias of Brethley, &c. S. B. No. 265.

17 Aug. General pardon for John Huddleston, knt., Thomas Broughton, knt., William Thorneburgh, esq., Richard Middelton, esq., Geoffrey Fraunke, esq., Henry Huddelston, esq., William Ambrose, esq., and George Middelton, gent. S. B. No. 266. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14).

1 Hen. VII. General pardon to Robert Haryngton, knt., and Robert Medilton, knt., and restitution of possessions. Special clauses enabling them to stand in judgment, &c., and to acquire lands to them and their heirs, as though their blood had suffered no corruption through any crime or act of attainder, &c. S. B. No. 267. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 (14). 1486. 17 Aug.

Master James Standish, professor of theology, is presented to the chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, near Preston, in Amondernesse, in co. Lancaster, in the king's gift by reason of his duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 52. 18 Aug.

Commission to Richard Tunstall and Thomas Wortley, knts., to admit into the king's grace and administer the oaths of allegiance to James Haryngton, Robert Middelton, Thomas Broughton, John Hudelston, and Robert Haryngton, knights, and Richard Middelton, Henry Hodelston, William Thornburgh, Geoffrey Frank, William Ambrose, and George Middelton, esquires, and to take sureties for their good behaviour, and to deliver patents of pardon to them. The whole of their proceedings under this commission are to be certified into Chancery. Pat. p. 4. m. 16 d (9 d). 18 Aug.

Rex dilectis et fidelibus suis Henrico domino de Clifford, Ricardo Tunstall militi, Johanni Conyers militi et Thomæ Worteley militi, salutem. Sciatis quod nos de fidelitatibus providisque circumspectionibus vestris plenius confidentes assignavimus vos, ac vobis tribus et duobus vestrum plenam potestatem et auctoritatem damus et committimus ad acceptandum et admittendum ad obedientiam et ligeantiam nostras omnes et singulos illos rebelles nostros, qui infra le Fourneys Fellys et Cartemell', ac procinctus eorundem, nunc existunt, gratiæ et ligeantiæ nostris se submittere volentes, quos juxta discretiones vestras, trium aut duorum vestrum, expedienter fore videritis receptandos, et ad recipiendum sacramenta ligeantiæ eorum, et eorum cujuslibet, juxta formam cujusdam cedulæ in litteris nostris sub 18 Aug.

1486. signeto nostro sigillatis, vobis missis, interclusæ: necnon 1 Hen. VII.
ad promittendum et concedendum eis et eorum cuilibet litteras nostras patentes de pardonatione sub magno sigillo nostro eis et eorum cuilibet conficiendas, si pro illis prosequi voluerint; ac ad nos de sacramentis illis, necnon de toto facto vestro trium vel duorum vestrum, cum præfatum mandatum nostrum fueritis executi, in cancellaria nostra sub sigillis vestris trium vel duorum vestrum distincte et aperte sine dilatione certificandos. Et ideo vobis mandamus quod circa præmissa diligenter intendatis, et ea faciatis et exequamini in forma prædicta. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium, xviii. die Augusti. Pat. p. 4. m. 1 d (26 d).

18 Aug. Mandate to William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper of the Chancery, to deliver up, without delay, and without taking any fine or fee for the king's use thereupon, to James Harington, of Brethley, knt., Robert Harington, Robert Middelton, Thomas Broughton, and John Huddleston, knights, William Thorneborow, Richard Middelton, Geoffrey Fraunke, Henry Huddelston, and William Ambrose, esquires, and George Middelton, gentleman, certain letters of pardon granted to them by the king. S. B. No. 268.

18 Aug. Mandate to William Smyth, keeper of the hanaper of the Chancery, to deliver up, without delay, and without taking any fine or fee for the king's use thereupon, to the abbess and convent of the monastery of St. Saviour and Sts. Mary the Virgin and Bride of Sion, of the order of St. Augustine, certain letters patent of confirmation granted them by the king. S. B. No. 269.

18 Aug. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Marquis Jaket and William Older, the king's minstrels, 5*l.* sterling, "for thexcercising of "their said occupacions by the space of half a yere, ended "at the fest of Saint John the Baptist last past." P. S. No. 1063.

1 Hen. VII. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England, and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelaynes of oure Eschequier, greting. For asmoche as we have commaunded oure welbeloved servaunt John Pyknam, poticary, to purvey certen thinges concernyng his occupation for the behoove and use of oure derrest wif the quene. We therfore wolle and charge you that for the same entent ye, furthwith upon the sight of thise, delivere ⁊ paye unto the said John Piknam the somme of xi. li. xviij. s. sterlinges, in redy money, without delaye or contradiccion. And thise our lettres shalbe youre suffisaunt warraunt ⁊ discharge in that behalve. Yeven undre our prive seelle, at our towne of Gilford, the xix^th^ day of August, the first yere of our reigne. P. S. No. 1064. 1486. 19 Aug.

Presentation of Richard Docheson, clk., to the parish church of Thilbelton, Winchester dioc., void by the death of Master William Bolte, clk., the last rector of the same, and in the king's gift owing to the temporalities of the said bishopric being in the king's hands. 17 Aug. P. S. No. 1065. 19 Aug.

Letters of protection, for one year, for Antonio Spynelli, merchant, of Genoa, alias late of Southampton, who is going upon the king's business in the company of William Rosse, esq., victualler of the town of Calais and marches thereof, there to make stay, touching the safe keeping and victualling of the town and marches aforesaid. Fr. m. (15) 1. 19 Aug.

Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains of the Exchequer to pay to Thomas Penyngton 7*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, due to him for exercising the office of one of the king's serjeants-at-arms from the date of the king's letters patent to him thereof until the making of the statute of resumption. P. S. No. 1066. 20 Aug.

Pro Cristoforo Spene. 20 Aug.

Rex omnibus ad quos, etc., salutem. Quia nonnulli mercatores et alii subditi hujus regni nostri Angliæ

1846. habent intentionem, Deo volente, partes exteras, maxime ipsas Italiæ, cum suis propriis seu conductis navibus, bonis et mercibus, frequentare, tanto libentius quanto liberius et commodius, in eis, cum illuc applicuerint, poterunt conversari; volentes ipsorum quieti et utilitati quantum possumus providere, ac, per experimenta aliarum nationum, pro certo scientes oportere inter eos aliquem magistratum peculiarem erigi et creari, cujus judicio et diffinitioni lites et contentiones, quas inter ipsos subditos nostros mercatores seu alios, dum in illis partibus moram traxerint, suboriri contigerit, submitti debeant; cumque intellexerimus civitatem Pisanam, inter alia loca Italiæ, maxime propiciam futuram, aptamque et convenientem pro residentia mercatorum nostrorum hujusmodi, de fidelitate, igitur, probitate et egregiis virtutibus dilecti nobis Cristofori Spene mercatoris Florentini, plenissime confidentes, de gratia nostra speciali, et ad humilem supplicationem mercatorum regni nostri Angliæ et aliorum subditorum nostrorum partes Italiæ, et præcipue dictam civitatem Pisanam, portumque ibidem partesque adjacentes frequentantium, frequentareve in futurum volentium, ipsum Cristoforum præficimus, constituimus et ordinamus consulem et præsidentem super factis omnium et singulorum subditorum nostrorum ad dictam civitatem partesque illic, ut præmittitur, adjacentes confluentium, damusque et concedimus eidem Cristoforo, quantum in nobis est, facultatem et potestatem causas, quæstiones, controversias atque lites, quas inter ipsos subditos nostros in partibus ipsis moveri contigerit, audiendi, discutiendi, terminandi, et diffiniendi summarie, et de plano, sine strepitu et figura judicii, quotiens ad id per alteram partium hujusmodi dissidentium requisitus fuerit cæteraque omnia et singula faciendi exercendi et expediendi, tam in judicio quam extra, quæ ad officium consulatus et presidentiæ hujusmodi de jure seu consuetudine aliarum nationum spectare noscuntur. Mandantes omni- 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. bus et singulis subditis nostris antedictis, cujuscumque 1486.
status, gradus, ordinis, dignitatis et præeminentiæ existant, tam mercatoribus quam aliis, qui in futurum ad dictam civitatem Pisanam, portumve seu loca illa adjacentia, accedere, concurrere, habitare seu residere curaverint, quatinus eidem Cristoforo, in exercitio sui officii consulatus antedicti, obedientes sint assistentes et obtemperantes in omnibus prout decet. Et quia dignus est operarius mercede, utque ipse Cristoforus tanto diligentius officium hujusmodi, pro pacificandis subditorum nostrorum differentiis, exequatur, quanto merita et studia sua, ab eis gratius intellecta, cognoverit, volumus et concedimus quod ipse Cristoforus habeat et percipiat de valore et estimatione omnium et singularum mercium et rerum venalium, quas in dictis civitate et portu per subditos nostros hujusmodi modo mercatorio emi aut vendi contigerit, quartam partem unius ducati de quolibet centenario ducatorum: Præsentibus, quamdiu nobis placuerit, in omnibus et per omnia valituris, donec has litteras nostras, per intimationem publicam eidem Cristoforo faciendam, nos, aut aliquis successorum nostrorum regum Angliæ, aliis litteris patentibus duxerimus aut duxerit revocandas. In cujus, etc. Teste rege apud Westmonasterium, xx. die Augusti. Per ipsum regem, et de data, etc. Fr. m. (15) 1.

Henry, &c. To our welbeloved the maer and bailiffes 20 Aug.
of our town of Lancaster, gretyng. And for somoch as we be credebly enformed that there resteth in your handes certeyn arrerages due unto us of theire yere ended at Mighelmas last past, which ye denie to have, as it is said. We therfore wol and straitely charge you that without any delaie, incontynent upon the sight of thes our lettres, ye content and paie unto our receivour there the seid arrerages by you due unto us, orelles, alle excuses and delaies laied asyde, that ye personelly appere before us and the lordes of our counsell at our paloys of Westminster in the xv^me^ of Seynt Mighell tharchaungell next

1486. commyng, there to shewe and answher why ye make delayes concernyng the premissez. Not failyng herof, as ye wol avoide our grevous displeasour. Yeven, &c. the xx. daie of August, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

Similar letters of the same date were sent to the maer and bailiffes of Preston, parcel of the duchie of Lancaster, in the countie of Lancaster; to Sir Geoffrey Massy, knight; to Sir Thomas Talbot, knight; to William Ratclif, squire; to John Rediche, squire; to John Langley, squire; to Henry Holden and Thomas Holden, gentlemen; to Anne Asshton, late wif of Sir William Asshton, knight; to the burgesses of Salford; to Nicholas Tounley and Richard Banastre, squires; to William Skillicone, squire; to Isabel, late the wif of John Radclif, squire. L. W., &c.

21 Aug. Henry, by the grace of God, king of England and of Fraunce, and lord of Irland. To the tresourer and chambrelayns of oure Eschequier, greting. We wolle and charge you that, incontynent upone the sighte herof, ye content and pay unto our fulle trusty servant John Fligh̃e, yoman of our robes, of suche our tresoure as resteth in your keping, the summe of thre poundes and ten shillings, that is to wite, 50*s.* therof for tawyng of x. tymbre of sabilles, and 20*s.* residue for v. skynners werking viii. daies, withouten prest or othre charge to be set upone him for the same. And thise our lettres shalbe your suffisaunt warrant and discharge in that behalve. Yeven undre oure prive seelle, at our towne of Gilford, the xxith day of August, the first yere of oure reigne. P. S. No. 1067.

21 Aug. Grant, during pleasure, to Robert Bellingham, esq., one of the king's sewers, of an annuity of 20 marks sterling out of the issues, &c. of the town and marches of Calais. 18 Aug. P. S. No. 1068.

21 Aug. Nomination of John Harry, chaplain, to the vicarage of Fremyngton, Exeter dioc.; addressed to the abbot of St. Nectau of Hertford, co. Devon. Pat. p. 4. m. 12 (13).

1 Hen. VII. Grant to Robert Colet of two corrodies, the one within the monastery of St. Benet, the other within the monastery of St. Oswald, of Bardeney, co. Linc., upon the surrender of same by Gilbert Banastre. 9 Aug. P. S. No. 1069. 1486. 22 Aug.

Grant, in survivorship, to Thomas Babham and William Babham, his son, of a corrody within the house of Hurle, co. Berks; to hold as Thomas Babham and William Margerie late held the same. 3 Aug. P. S. No. 1070. 22 Aug.

General pardon to William Beverley, alias Beverle, alias Beverlay, clk., of York. Pat. p. 4. m. 5 (20). 22 Aug.

Vacated because enrolled elsewhere. Pat. 2 Hen. VII. p. 1. m. 9.

Grant to Robert Staunton, esq., one of the ushers of the king's chamber, of the wardship and marriage of Thomas, son and heir of Richard Hakeluyt, deceased, during the minority of the said Thomas. Clause for continuance of the custody, &c., in the event of the present heir dying a minor, until an heir shall attain majority. 27 July. P. S. No. 1071. Pat. p. 4. m. 5 (20). 25 Aug.

Vacated, because enrolled elsewhere. *See* Pat. 2 Hen. VII. p. 1. m. 9.

1485. 6 Sept. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved the kepers of our park of Enfeld, in our countie of Middx., and to every of theym, gretyng. And for somoche as we, of our grace especial and pure almes, have yeven and graunted unto our wilbeloved in God, the warden and convent and the hous of Friers Mynours within our citie of London, four okes of square and length suffycient for the repayryng of their chirch, to be taken within our seid park of Enefeld. Wherfore we wol and charge you and every of you, that ye delyver such four okes as is afforeseid unto the seid warden and convent, or such as they shal send for the same, accordyng to our graunt abovesaid, endentyng with theym by billes betwyxt you and theym to be made, specifying the deliveraunce of the seid okes, which and thes our lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge for the same anenst us at all tymes herafter. Yeven at Guylford, the vi. daie of September, the furst yere, &c. L.W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

Westminster, 12 Sept.

Appointments of sheriffs (during pleasure).

John Paston, cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.
John Fortescue, knt., cos. Essex and Hertf.
John Donne, knt., cos. Bedford and Bucks.
Nicholas Gaynesford, cos. Surrey and Sussex.
Robert Poyntez, co. Glouc.
Richard Croftes, knt., co. Heref.
Humfrey Stanley, knt., co. Staff.
Gilbert Talbot, knt., co. Salop.
Robert Throkmerton, cos. Warwick and Leic.
Thomas Meres, co. Linc.
Nicholas Mountgomery, cos. Nottingham and Derby.
Roger Toketes, knt., co. Wilts.
Thomas Fulford, knt., cos. Somers. and Dorset.

1 Hen. VII. John Halwell, knt., co. Devon. 1485.
Thomas Graynfeld, co. Cornwall.
Richard Nanfan, co. Worc.
John Pilton, esq., co. Rutl.
John Huddelston, knt., cos. Cambridge and Hunt.
Cristofer Moresby, knt., co. Cumb.
Robert Maners, knt., co. Northumb.
Roger Belyngham, co. Westmoreland.
Edward Berkeley, esq., co. Southampton.
William Stoner, knt., cos. Oxon. and Berks., and the castle of Exeter.
Richard Burton, co. Northampton.
Thomas Markenfeld, knt., co. York.
William Cheney, co. Kent.

Orig. m. 1.

Richard Emson appointed attorney-general of the duchy of Lancaster, for the term of his life, receiving the accustomed fees, wages, &c., as Richard Alred or Michael Sharp, or any other attorney-general of the said duchy ever received. L. R. 1. 13 Sept.

Sir Reginald Bray, knight of the king's body, is appointed chancellor of the county palatine of Lancaster and keeper of the seal of the same office, and also chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster and keeper of the seal of the same office; to hold for term of his life, receiving annually for the same offices all the accustomed wages, fees, &c. L. R. 22. 13 Sept.

Brother Persone,—I mariveyll ye should be in any dowte ffor the matter ye wrytte to me ffor, ffor I shewyd you the kynges mynd in sertein that Rydone and a doctour Bothe showld go into Spayne, and so they shalle; and Rydone must have the xl. li. ye browte. And ye may shewe also to my lord treshorer that he must purvey ffor xxii. li. xiij. s. and iiij. d., that is to sey, x. li. ffor a servaunt of the counte off Symy, and x. li. ffor a gentillman off the kynges off Denmark and 15 Sept.

1485. iiij. marks ffor a ffryer servaunt to the marchall off Bretayn. Wrytten the xv. day off September, 1 Hen. VII.

By your ffrende,
THOMAS LOVELL.

To my brother Persone, on of the tellers of the Excheker.

20 Sept. Grant to Sir Hugh Hastinges of the office of steward of the honor of Tykhill, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 63.

20 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Amyas, of the office of keeper of the woods and warrens of the lordship of Kyrtlyngton, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Oxford, with the fees, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 205b.

21 Sept. Grant to James Edyriche, for his services beyond the sea, and in the king's last victorious battle, of the office of bailiff of the duchy of Lancaster in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same office pertaining. L. R. 147b.

21 Sept. Grant to Christopher Karyngton of the office of bailiff of the hundred of Grysley, in co. Derby; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the wages, fees, &c. to the same office pertaining, out of the profits and revenues of the said hundred. L. R. 97.

21 Sept. Grant to Sir George Stanley, Lord le Straunge, of the office of steward and surveyor of the honor of Pontefract, and of the constableship of the castle there; also of the office of forester of the parks, and warden of all the forests, parks, chaces, and warrens within the said honor and lordship; also of the office of master of all the king's game in the same: to hold for the term of his life, with all the fees, wages, emoluments, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 63.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, during his life, to John Alys, for his services to the king in his last victorious conflict, of the office of porter of Newcastell under Lyme, in co. Stafford, with the wages and fees of two pence and one halfpenny a day, to be received from the receiver of the lordship of Newcastle. L. R. 97. 1485. 22 Sept.

John Badely, son of Henry Badely, is presented to the presbitery of the hospital of St. Leo, in Newcastle under Line, in co. Stafford. L. R. 109. 22 Sept.

Master Walter Barbour is presented to the collegiate church of St. Mary the Virgin, on the free resignation of Lawrence Squier, and in the king's gift in right of his duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 133. 22 Sept.

John Bardefeld is appointed receiver of all the castles, lordships, manors, &c. parcel of the duchy of Lancaster in the counties of Essex, Hertford, Middx., Surrey, and London ; to hold during the king's pleasure, and receiving annually the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 2. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to William Benstede, of the office of constable of the castle of Hertford, in co. Hertford, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 163b. 22 Sept.

Grant to Edward Benstede, for the term of his life, of the custody of the park of Hertford and Hertyngford-bury, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster in Hertford, with the custody of the coney warren there, which William Porter, a rebel, lately had, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto belonging. L.. R. 163b. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Sir James Blount, for his services in the kingdom of England and in the parts beyond the sea, of the office of steward of the honor of the castle or lordship of Tutbury, in co. Stafford, together with the office of constable of all and singular the lordships, manors, and vills to the same honor pertaining; and of the office of surveyor of the honor of the said castle and lordship ; and also of the office of master forester or 22 Sept.

1485. warden, with the office of keeper of all forests and chaces, 1 Hen. VII. and bailiff of all franchises, to the said honor and castle belonging or pertaining; receiving the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 97.

22 Sept. Robert Brown is appointed auditor of all the accounts of the officers of all the castles, lordships, manors, vills, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster in the parts south of the Trent, as well in England as in Wales, on this side the Trent, in the counties of Lincoln, Nottingham, Warwick, and Leicester; to hold during the king's pleasure, and receiving annually for the same office the ancient and accustomed wages, fees, &c. L. R. 1[a].

22 Sept. Robert Coort is appointed receiver of the castles, lordships, manors, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster and earldom of Hereford, in the counties of Dorset, Wilts., Southampton, Berks., Bucks., Oxford, Gloucester, and Hereford; to hold during the king's pleasure, and receiving for the said office the accustomed fees, wages, and rewards, together with the portage of the money to the same office anciently due and accustomed. L. R. 2.

22 Sept. Grant to Nicholas Crowmere and William Crowmere of the office of constable of the castle of Pevensey, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Sussex; also of the office of porter of the castle of Pevensey: to hold for the term of their lives and of the longest liver of them, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 178[b].

22 Sept. Grant to Sir John Everyngham of the office of constable and porter of the castle of Pountfreit; to hold for the term of his life, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same belonging. L. R. 63[b].

22 Sept. Grant to Thomas Fenys of the office of steward of all the honors, lordships, manors, lands, &c. parcel of the duchy of Lancaster in co. Sussex, and of the office of bailiff of the same; to hold the said office of steward for the term of his life, and the office of bailiff during the king's pleasure, receiving for the said offices the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 178.

1 Hen.VII. Grant to Stephen Flemyng of the office of bailiff of the liberty and franchise of the duchy of Lancaster in the county of Northampton ; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 147. 1485. 22 Sept.

Richard Greneway is appointed receiver of all the lordships, manors, &c. of Monmouth, Grossemont, Whitecastell, Skenfrith, Ebboth alias Grenefeld, and Hadenok, in the marches of Wales, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster ; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 2. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Edward Grey, Viscount Lisle, of the stewardship of the duchy of Lancaster in co. Warwick ; also of the seneschalship of the castle of Kenelworth, in the same county ; with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same belonging. L. R. 123. 22 Sept.

Richard Harpur, is appointed to the office of general receiver of the duchy of Lancaster during the king's pleasure, receiving in the same office the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 1. 22 Sept.

Thomas Holbach is appointed receiver of all the castles, lordships, manors, hundreds, lands, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster within the counties of Northampton, Bucks., and Huntingdon ; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 2. 22 Sept.

Grant to John Holford of the office of bailiff of the vill of Newcastell subtus Limam, in co. Stafford ; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees and wages to the same office pertaining. L. R. 97. 22 Sept.

Grant to Thomas Kyngman of the office of bailiff of Wymbourne Mynster, with the keepership of the warren of Badley, and the custody of the manor of Kyngeston Lacy, in the county of Dorset ; to hold the office of bailiff during the king's pleasure, and the office of keeper of the said warren and manor during his life, with all fees, wages, &c. unto the same offices pertaining. L. R. 187. 22 Sept.

1485. 22 Sept. Grant to Robert Langton of the office of bailiff of Osgodcrosse, in co. York; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 64. 1 Hen. VII.

22 Sept. Grant to Nicholas Leventhorp of the office of receiver of the honors and lordships of Pontefract and Knaresborough, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same office pertaining: also of keeper of the artillery within the castle of Pontefract; to hold for the term of his life, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 63b.

22 Sept. Grant to John Lowe of the offices of bailiff and warrener of the lordship of Snettesham, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Norfolk; to hold the office of bailiff during the king's pleasure, and the office of warrener for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees and wages to the same offices pertaining. L. R. 147b.

22 Sept. John Luthyngton appointed auditor of all the honors, castles, lordships, manors, vills, &c. in the duchy of Lancaster, as well in the counties north of the Trent as in the counties of Lincoln, Nottingham, Warwick, and Leicester; to hold during the king's pleasure, and receiving for the same office the accustomed wages, fees, &c. in as ample manner as Stephen Slegge, lately deceased, or any other person received in the same office. L. R. 1b.

22 Sept. Grant to Richard Orell of the office of constable of the castle of Clyderowe, in the palatinate of Lancaster; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed wages, fees, &c. L. R. 23.

22 Sept. Grant to Richard Owen of the office of receiver of the lordship of Kydwelly; to hold during the king's pleasure, receiving for the same the fees and wages thereunto pertaining. L. R. 216.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to Maurice ap Owen, for his services to the king at his last victorious journey to resist his great enemy Richard, late duke of Gloucester, of the office of

1 Hen. VII. steward of the lordships of Kydwelly, Carnewallan, and Iskannen', parcel of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 216. 1485.

John, earl of Oxford, appointed to the office of chief steward of the duchy of Lancaster in the south parts, on this side the Trent, for the term of his life, receiving annually in the same office the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 1b. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Stephen Stone, in consideration of his services, as well in parts beyond the sea as in the kingdom of England, at the king's late victorious battle, of the office of keeper of the manor and park of Wokesay, within the county of Wilts., with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 187. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Tothoth, of the offices of feodary of the duchy of Lancaster in co. Lincoln, and the keeper of the park of Myntyng, with the accustomed fees and wages to the same pertaining. L. R. 123b. 22 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Hugh Vaghan, of the office of keeper of the forest of Iskennen', and the park of Brenncy, and the forest of Kevengoreth with Wennailt, in South Wales, within the lordship of Kydwelly, with the fees, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 216. 22 Sept.

Grant to Ralph Verney of the office of steward of the duchy of Lancaster in the counties of Bedford and Buckingham; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 164. 22 Sept.

Grant to Ralph Worsley of the office of keeper of the manor of Kyngeston Lacy, and the chaces of Holte and Bradbury, and the park and warren in the same; to hold for the term of life, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 188. 22 Sept.

Grant to Ralph Worsley of the office of keeper of the manor of Kyngeston Lacy and le Holte, in co. Dorset; also of the office of bailiff of Kyngeston Lacy and le Holte, and the hundred of the same: to hold during the king's pleasure, with all the fees, wages, &c. to the same 22 Sept.

1485. offices pertaining, in as ample a manner as Peter Hogge lately had and received in the same. L. R. 187. 1 Hen. VII.

22 Sept. Grant to Peter Wright, as well for his service in parts beyond the sea as for his services in England, of the office of parker of the park of Rothewelhay, within the honor of Pountfreit, and of the office of bailiff there; to hold for the term of his life, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining, as Roger Hopton had and received in the same. L. R. 64.

22 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Wylde, of the office of bailiff of the franchises within the honor of Tuttebury, and the custody of the park called Castelhay, in the county of Stafford, with all the accustomed fees and wages to the same pertaining. L. R. 97.

23 Sept. Grant to Adam Birkeheved of the office of clerk of the Crown at Lancaster; to hold during good behaviour, and receiving the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 23.

23 Sept. Grant to Alexander Bruce of the office of keeper of the park of Postern, in co. Derb., with the fees and wages to the same office pertaining, as Henry Bradshawe had and received in the same. L. R. 97b.

23 Sept. Grant to John Castonell of all the lands and woods called le Castell Clyff, in co. Stafford; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all advantages to the same pertaining. L. R. 97.

23 Sept. Grant to Richard Churcherd of the office of feodary and bailiff of the franchises of the liberty of the duchy of Lancaster and honor of Maundevile, in cos. Essex and Hertford; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 164b.

23 Sept. Grant to Richard Coton of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Glatton and Holme, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Huntingdon; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 148.

1 Hen. VII. Grant to John Depden of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Soham, in co. Cambridge; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 148. 1485. 23 Sept.

Grant, for term of his life, to John Digby, of the office of constable of the castle of Melburn, and bailiff of the lordship of Melburne and hundred of Grysley, and keeper of the park of Melburne; in co. Derby, also of the office of receiver of the duchy of Lancaster, and clerk of the works, in co. Lancaster; with the accustomed fees and wages to the same belonging. L. R. 97b. 23 Sept.

Grant to John Faunt of the offices of bailiff and keeper of the mere called Witlesmere, and the warren, and the wood of Glatton and Holme; and also of the surveyorship and approver of all swans of the said mere, or any other mere or water in the counties of Huntingdon, Cambridge, Lincoln, and Northampton, pertaining to the duchy of Lancaster: to hold the office of bailiff during the king's pleasure, and all the other offices for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. unto the same pertaining. L. R. 148. 23 Sept.

Grant to Henry Goodclerk, for his services in the parts beyond the sea and in England, of the office of keeper of the park of Morley, with the little park of Belper within Duffeld Frith, and the ward of the same, in co. Derby; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees and wages to the same pertaining. L. R. 97b. 23 Sept.

John Hawardyn appointed attorney within the county palatine of Lancaster; also serjeant-at-law within the said palatine; also one of the barons of the Exchequer within the same county palatine: to hold for the term of his life, and receiving annually the fees, wages, rewards, and advantages to the said office due and belonging. L. R. 22b. 23 Sept.

Grant to Ralph Hilton, of the office of bailiff of Salford, in co. Lancaster, which Henry Ratclyf lately held; 23 Sept.

1485. to hold during the king's pleasure, and receiving the fees, wages, &c. unto the same office pertaining. L. R. 24. 1 Hen. VII.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Makwith, of the office of lieutenant of the forest of Waybrigge, in co. Huntingdon, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 148.

23 Sept. Grant to John Middelton of the office of porter and watch of the castle of Knaresburgh, parcel of the duchy Lancaster, in co. York; to hold during his life, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto belonging issuing out of the revenues of the lordship of Knaresburgh. L. R. 63b.

23 Sept. Grant to Nicholas Owdeby of the office of bailiff of the vill of Higham Ferrers, with the custody of the park there, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Northamp ton; to hold the office of bailiff during the king's pleasure, and the custody of the park during his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same offices pertaining, as Robert Pemberton had and received the same. L. R. 147.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Geoffrey Rede, of the office of keeper of the park of Gymmyngham, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Norfolk, with the accustomed fees and wages thereunto pertaining. L. R. 147b.

23 Sept. Christopher Sharpe appointed receiver of all the lordships, manors, lands, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster in the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, and Cambridge; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 2.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to Thomas Standisshe, of the office of keeper of the park of Bade, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Essex, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 163.

23 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Sutton, of the office of keeper of the park of Shothill, in co. Derby, with the accustomed fees and wages to the same pertaining. L. R. 97b.

23 Sept. Grant to Richard Tarlton of the office of bailiff of the vill of Daventre, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co.

1 Hen. VII. Northampton; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed, fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 147. 1485.

Grant, for life, to Edward Torell, for his true service to the king during his last victorious battle, of the office of keeper of the park of Wykes, in co. Essex, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto belonging. L. R. 163. 23 Sept.

John Vavasour, serjeant-at-law, is appointed one of the justices of Pleas within the palatinate of Lancaster; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 22b. 23 Sept.

Grant to William Wylkes of the offices of clerk of the Common Pleas in the palatinate of Lancaster; of the custody of the books, records, &c. there: to hold during good behaviour, and receiving for the same the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 23. 23 Sept.

Grant to David ap Gryffith of the office of keeper of the park of Haveray, in co. York, for the term of his life, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto belonging. L. R. 65. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Everard Fyldyng, of the office of steward of the honor of Leicester, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, receiving for the same the fees and wages thereunto pertaining. L. R. 123. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Matthew Baker, of the offices of constable and porter of the castle of Kenelworth, and keeper of the parks and woods in the same county; also of the office of bailiff of the liberty of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold during the king's pleasure; receiving annually for the offices of constable, porter, and keeper, out of the revenues of the lordship of Kenelworth, the accustomed fees and wages, and for the office of bailiff all the emoluments, &c., out of the revenues of the duchy, to the same pertaining. L. R. 123. 24 Sept.

Grant, for the term of his life, to Thomas Barowe, one of the cooks of the king's kitchen, of the office of master mason of the castles of Lancaster, Clyderhowe, and 24 Sept.

1485. Lethirpole, in the county of Lancaster, and of the castle of Halton, in co. Chester; to hold as John Holey held the same, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same office pertaining. L. R. 24. 1 Hen. VII.

24 Sept. Grant, for life, to Sir John Fortescu, of the offices of master forester and keeper of the chace of Enfeld, Eastbailly, Westbailly, Southbailly, and ranger of the said chace, and keeper of the park of Enfeld, in co. Middx., with all wages, fees, and herbage growing within the park aforesaid; receiving the same from the issues and revenues of the said lordship of Enfeld, by the hands of the receiver, bailiff, or farmer of the said lordship; also of the office of "le parkership" of the park of Enfeld, receiving 2*d.* a day for the same office of the parkership from the revenues of the said lordship of Enfeld. L. R. 178.

24 Sept. Grant to David Hervy of the office of keeper of the park of Haywra, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees and wages, to be perceived out of the revenues of the honor of Knaresburgh, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 66^{b}.

24 Sept. Grant to William Middelton of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Sombourne, in co. Southampton, with the keepership of the park of Sombourne; to hold the office of bailiff during the king's pleasure, and the keepership during his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 187.

24 Sept. Grant to Laurence Molyneux of the office of constable of the castle of Leverpole, in co. Lancaster; to hold during the minority of Richard Molyneux, son and heir of Sir Thomas Molyneux, with all fees, wages, &c. to the said office pertaining. L. R. 23^{b}.

24 Sept. Grant to Robert Penkney of the officer of receiver of the castles, lordships, and manors of Pykyryng and Pykerynglith, with their members, in co. York, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold during the king's

1 Hen. VII. pleasure, with all fees and wages to the same office pertaining. L. R. 63b. 1485.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Philip, of the custody of the park of Altofte, within the honor of Pontefract, in co. York, together with le Loege in the same park, receiving for the office the wages, herbage, and rewards due and accustomed as John Glover, late keeper there, had and occupied. L. R. 65b. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to John Pigge, for his services beyond the sea and in England, of the office of the bailiwick of Gryngeley and the custody of the park there, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 65b. 24 Sept.

Grant to Henry Pudsey of the office of bailiff of the liberty or wapentake of Staynclyff, in co. York; to hold during the king's pleasure, as Edmund Talbot lately held and occupied the same; receiving annually for the same the fees and wages thereunto pertaining. L. R. 64. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Sir John Rysley, for his service beyond the sea, and at the king's last victorious battle within the kingdom of England, and the great labours and perils he endured during his life, of the office of steward of the franchises of the duchy of Lancaster in the counties of Essex and Hertford, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 163. 24 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Sir John Savage, junior, of the stewardship of all the castles, lordships, manors, &c. in le Peek and High Peek, in co. Derby, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; and of the office of chief forester of the forest and chace of le Peek and the High Peek, and of the office called "countie bailly," with Wodelandes; and the office of bailiff of the wapentake of Worsworth; with all fees, wages, &c. to the same offices pertaining. L. R. 97b and 98. 24 Sept.

William Smyth, clk., is presented to the deanery of the king's free chapel of Wymbourne Mynster, in co. Dorset. L. R. 194. 24 Sept.

1485. 24 Sept. Grant, for life, to John Thaccham, of the office "wode-ward" of the forest of Bradon, in co. Wilts., with all fees, wages, &c., thereunto pertaining. L. R. 187. 1 Hen. VII.

24 Sept. Grant to Sir Roger Tocotes of the office of steward of all the lordships, manors, lands, and tenements parcel of the duchy of Lancaster within the county of Wilts.; to hold during his life with all fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 187b.

24 Sept. Grant to Sir Edward Wydeville of 50*l.* per annum out of the issues of the lordships and manors of Kyrtlyngton, with appurtenances, in co. Oxon., Westcote, in co. Bucks., Whetenhurst and Southam, in co. Gloucester, and Yorkhull, in co. Hereford, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, to be paid by the hands of the receivers of the said lordships, to hold to him and the heirs of his body begotten,—because the same Edward, out of regard to Edward, late king of England, lately wholly remitted and released all his right, title, and claim, which he had in the manor of Dodford, to a certain Thomas Stafford. If the said Edward should die without such heirs, then the said 50*l.* shall remain to Sir Richard Wydeville, brother of the said Edward Wydeville, and the heirs of his body issuing; and if the said Richard shall die without heirs of his body begotten, then the said 50*l.* shall remain to Anne, Margaret, and Joan, daughters of Jaquetta, late duchess of Bedford, and Elizabeth, daughter of Mary, daughter of the same Jaquetta, and the heirs of their bodies lawfully begotten; and if the said Anne, Margaret, Joan, and Elizabeth shall die without such heirs, then the said 50*l.* shall remain to Elizabeth, late queen of England, late consort of the aforesaid Edward, late king of England, and Katharine, duchess of Bucks., and the heirs of their bodies lawfully begotten,—until the king shall give and grant to the said Edward Wydeville lands or tenements in recompense and satisfaction of the said annual rent of 50*l.*, to have, hold, enjoy, and receive to

1 Hen. VII. him and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten; and if the said Edward Wydeville shall die without such heirs, then the said lands and tenements shall remain to the said Richard Wydeville and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten; and if the said Richard shall die without heir of his body issuing, then the said lands and tenements shall remain to the aforesaid Anne, Margaret, and Joan, daughters of the said late duchess of Bedford, and Elizabeth, daughter of the aforesaid Mary, and the heirs of their bodies lawfully begotten; and if the said Anne, Margaret, and Joan, and Elizabeth, daughter of the said Mary, shall die without such heirs, then the said lands and tenements shall remain to the aforesaid Elizabeth, late queen of England, and the said Katharine, duchess of Buckingham, and the heirs of their bodies lawfully begotten. L. R. 15. 1485.

Grant to William Charles of the office of master carpenter of and in the castle of Lancaster, for the term of his life, with the wages of 6*d.* a day. L. R. 24. 25 Sept.

Grant to Laurence Lever of the office of porter of the castle of Clyderowe, in co. Lancaster; to hold during his life, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 23b. 25 Sept.

Grant, for life, to Henry Walker, of the office of porter of the castle of Bolyngbroke, with the castelgarth there, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Lincoln, with the accustomed fees and wages to the same pertaining. L. R. 124. 25 Sept.

Grant to Peter Orell of the office of escheator of the county of Lancaster; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all wages, fees, &c. to the same office pertaining. L. R. 23b. 25 Sept.

John Gunter and Richard Lussher are appointed auditors of all the accounts of chamberlains, receivers, sheriffs, escheators, coroners, bailiffs, beadles, reves, and other 25 Sept.

1485. officers and ministers of the castles and lordships of Kydwelly, Carnwallan, and Iskennen, in Wales; and of the castle and lordship of Ogmore, in Wales; and of the castles and lordships of Monmouth, Whitecastell, Skenfrith, Grossemont, Hadenake, Ebbeth, Mynsterworth, and all other lordships and manors in Wales and in the marches there, to the castle and lordship of Monmouth pertaining; to hold during the king's pleasure, and receiving annually the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 1[b]. 1 Hen. VII.

27 Sept. Grant to Thomas Harper of 6*d.* a day, during his life, for the office of valet of the Crown, issuing out of the revenues of the manor or lordship of Whitley, within the Howdean of Halton, in co. Chester, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 24[b].

28 Sept. Grant to Thomas Cotton of the office of constable of the castle of Ogmore, in co. Glamorgan, and Morgannowe, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in South Wales, receiving annually for the same the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 216.

29 Sept. Grant, for life, to Henry Wyot, of the office of warrener of Methewold, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Norfolk, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 147[b].

30 Sept. Appointment of Richard Sherman (elected by the mayor and commonalty of Bristol, as directed by their charter, 8 Aug., 47 Edw. III.) to be sheriff of the city of Bristol, during pleasure. Orig. m. 1.

30 Sept. Grant to Sir Edmund Hastynges of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Pykeryng and Pykerynglith, in co. York, to hold during the king's pleasure; and of the offices of rider of the forest there, and parker of the park of Blandesby, near Pykeryng, to hold during his life; with all fees, wages, &c. to the same offices belonging. L. R. 64.

1 Hen. VII. Summæ denariorum subsequentes sunt receptæ per me, Thomam Stokes, ad usum domini regis, pro expensis hospitii sui, termino Paschæ anno primo regis Henrici Septimi, de personis inferius specificatis. 1486.

In primis, de custumariis in portu villæ Sandewic, c. marc.

Item, de custumariis in portubus de Plymouthe et Fowy, c. marc.

De custumariis villarum Exester et Dertemouth, c. li.

De custumariis in portu villæ de Pole, c. li.

De firmariis subsidii et ulnagii pannorum venalium in comitatu Kanciæ, x. li.

De firmariis subsidii et ulnagii pannorum venalium in comitatibus Oxon. et Berk., x. li.

Summa totalis, cccliij. li. vi. s. viii. d. Inde solutæ ad manus Reginaldi Bray, militis, et Aluredi Cornburgh, subthesaurariorum, ad vices, videlicet, una vice ad manus prædicti Aluredi per manus Ricardi Walter, ccix. li. xvi. s. viii. d.; alia vice ad manus prædicti Reginaldi Bray per manus Edwardi Shaa et Thomæ Wyndoute, cxliij. li. x. s.

Receipts under Easter Term, 1 Hen. VII.

City of London	From Hugh Brice, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 53*s.* 4*d.*
Lincoln - -	From Alan Broune and William Bulleyne, collectors of the king's customs and subsidies in the port of the town of Boston, of the same customs and subsidies, 4*l.* 8*s.* 8*d.*
Kent - -	From William Cheyne, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*
Cambridge, Hunts.	From William Fynderne, knt., sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 10*l.*
	From John Depdene, escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 5 marks.

1486. Norfolk - - From the bishop of Ely, of the issues of his bailiwick, 20*s.* 1 Hen. VII.

Hertford - From the abbot of Westminster, of the issues of his bailiwick, 2*s.*

Hunts. - From the men of the town of Huntingdon, of the issues of their bailiwick, 2½*d.*

Essex - - From the abbot of Westminster, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*

Surrey, Sussex From the bishop of Chichester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*

Bristol - - From Richard Sherman, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*s.*

From Henry Vaughan, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 20*d.*

Kent, Midd. - From John Alfegh, escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 8*l.*

Kingeston upon Hull. From Laurence Swhatok, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*s.*

From Ralph Langton, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*

City of Lincoln From William Aleley and Robert o' the See, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*

From John Beylby, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 20*d.*

Somerset - From William Wode and John Bonefaunt, collectors of the king's subsidies and customs in the port of the town of Briggewater, of the same customs and subsidies, 10*l.* 12*d.*

Cornwall - From Thomas Graynefeld, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*s.*

Hereford - From John Mortymer, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 24*l.*

1 Hen. VII.	Salop - -	From Gilbert Talbot, knt., sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 22*l.*	1486.
	Southampton	From the citizens of Winchester, of the issues of their bailiwick, 20*s.*	
	Devon - -	From William Fokeray and John Moton, collectors of the king's customs and subsidies in the ports of the towns of Exeter and Dertmouthe, of the same customs and subsidies, 103*l.* 10*s.*	
	Somerset, Dorset.	From William Case, escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40 marks.	
	Surrey - -	From John Stanney and Thomas Belyngeham, collectors of the king's customs and subsidies in the port of the town of Chichester, of the same customs and subsidies, 33*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	The town of Northampton, Cambridge.	From the men of the town of Northampton, of the issues of their bailiwick, 13*s.* 4*d.*	
		From the prior of Ely, of the issues of his bailiwick, 4*s.*	
	Cambridge, Hunts.	From the bishop of Ely, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
		From the men of the town of Cambridge, of the issues of their bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
		From the abbot of Ramsey, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	Essex, Hertford	From the bishop of Ely, of the issues of his bailiwick, 40*d.*	
	Westmoreland	From Richard Clyfford, esq., sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 13*s.* 4*d.*	
	Wilts - -	From the prioress of Ambresbury, of the issues of her bailiwick, 13*s.* 4*d.*	
		From the abbot of Glastonbury, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	

1486.	Essex, Somerset, Dorset.	From the abbess of Berkyng, of the issues of her bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	1 Hen. VII.
		From the abbot of Glastonbury, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	Surrey - -	From the men of the town of Kyngeston, of the fee-farm of their town, and of the issues of the same, 13*s.* 4*d.*	
	Dorset - -	From John Kymer and Thomas Chafyn, collectors of the king's customs and subsidies in the port of Pole, of the same customs and subsidies, 40*l.*	
	Southampton, Wilts.	From Thomas Wareyn', receiver of the lordships, lands, and tenements of Henry, late duke of Buckingham, in the counties of Southampton and Wiltshire, of the issues of the same, 40*l.*	
	Southampton	From the prior of St. Swythin's, Winchester, of the issues of his bailiwick, 6*s.* 8*d.*	
	The town of Southampton.	From William Parker, sheriff, of the issues of his bailiwick, 10*s.*	
		From William Gunter, mayor and escheator, of the issues of his bailiwick, half a mark.	
	Surrey - -	From the abbot of Westminster, of the issues of his bailiwick, 2*s.*	
	Southampton	From the men of the town of Portesmouthe, of the issues of their bailiwick, 40*d.*	
	Bucks - -	From Henry Harper, receiver of the lordships of Bukkyngham and Burton, in the county of Bucks., late belonging to Henry, late duke of Buckingham, of the issues of the same, 20*l.*	

1 Hen. VII.	A loan - -	From Thomas Fuller and William Brette, as a loan, 100*l.*	1486.
	Westminster -	From Thomas Monyngton, esq., of a fine, for certain reasons made before the king and his council in the Star Chamber, 10*l.*	
	A loan - -	From Thomas Bulkley and John Crafford, as a loan, 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*	
	A loan - -	From John, Lord Dynham, treasurer of England, as a loan, 100*l.*	

Issues under Easter Term, 1 Hen. VII.

To Richard Newton, one of the esquires for the king's body, of those 50 marks a year granted to him by the king's letters patent, in full payment of his fee for Easter term last past, by a writ of the king's of this term, receiving money by the hands of John Jaye, 39*s.* 10½*d.* — 1 April.

To Henry Mattok, for the costs and expenses of the lords of Ormonde and Audeley, and other learned men of the council of the lord the king, making stay at London, on the 15th day of April, for divers arduous matters and urgent causes concerning as well the king's profit as the tranquillity of the kingdom of England, by his own hands, 20*s.* 6*d.* — 15 April.

To John Randolf, one of the ushers of the receipt, upon his livery and fee for this term, by his own hands, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* — 20 April.

To the chief baron, for his fee and reward of this term, by the hands of Ralph Lytlore, 50*l.* — 25 April.

To Brian Rouclyff, secondary baron, for the like cause, by the hands of Thomas Holgate, 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

To Edward Goldesburghe, third baron, for his fee and reward of this term, by the hands of Thomas Lepton, 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

1486. 27 April. To Hugh Conwey, keeper of the king's great wardrobe, upon his office, viz., in part payment of 300*l.* (belonging) to him, by virtue of an act made in the last Parliament, upon the first monies arising and growing at the receipt of the Exchequer from the proffers of sheriffs, escheators, and bailiffs, by the hands of Edmund Teversham,—besides 50*l.* by him received from Richard Boteler, and besides 80*l.* by him received from Thomas Piersone,—in part payment of the sum above written, 20*l.* 1 Hen. VII.

4 May. To Thomas Stokes, one of the tellers of the receipt, upon his fee and reward of this term, by his own hands, 10*l.*

4 May. In the hands of Alvered Corneburgh, esq., under-treasurer, the 5th day of May, 50*l.*

In the hands of the aforesaid under-treasurer, of those monies by him received of the king's customs and subsidies in the port of Pole, 10*l.*

9 May. To Reginald Bray, knt., by command of the lord the king, upon provision of certain verges of velvet and sateyne, of divers colours, for the lining of a cloak of golden cloth, and for other causes; for the providing and making the apparel of the same lord the king; by the hands of Thomas Fuller, mercer, of London, 53*l.* 4*s.* 8*d.*

10 May. To the ushers of the Exchequer, upon their livery, by the hands of Ranulph Lyttyllore, one of the ushers there, 100*s.*

11 May. To Reginald Bray, knt., in part payment of 400*l.* lent to the lord the king in this term, by the hands of Thomas Wyndoute, 136*l.* 10*s.*

1 Aug. To Alexander Masone, Robert Grene, John Hawkyns, Thomas Mayo, William Grene, Henry Swayne, Thomas Spence, and William Davy, the king's minstrels, of those 80 marks lately appointed to them for their fees (each one of them at 10 marks) by the lord the

1 Hen. VII. king, by a writ of privy seal of the king, by the hands of Alexander Masone, 20*l.* 1486.

To Richard Dolond, the king's clerk of the works, upon provision for the same, by his own hands, 20*l.* 2 Aug.

To Master Edmund Chaderton, one of the king's chaplains, in money paid to him upon his costs and expenses, he being sent by command of the lord the king, by advice of his council, to a certain port in the northern parts of this kingdom, to take separately the recognizances and fealty of the inhabitants of the said ports for the good behaviour of masters, pursers, and owners of ships, and of sailors going away from the said ports in any ships whatsoever, according to the form of a certain order in council, by his own hands, 20*l.* 3 Aug.

To William Dammes, one of the grooms of the king's chamber, in monies paid to him for his costs and expenses, and for the carriage and safe conveying of certain stuffs of the king's pertaining to his wardrobe, from the castles of Nottingham and Pountfrette to the city of Winchester, "arduam necessitatem reginæ jam "noviter proventuræ commode concernentia," to be carried from the king by command of the treasurer, by his own hands, 53*s.* 4*d.* 5 Aug.

To Peter Wrayton, yeoman of the king's beds, for divers things needful purchased and provided by him in the king's wardrobe, by his own hands, 7*l.* 5 Aug.

To John Wyntre, master of a certain ship called le [ ], sent by command of the lord the king to the town of Harrewych, in the county of Essex, to arrest certain ships hiding in the port there, for certain reasons concerning the king and his council, by his own hands, 5 marks. 5 Aug.

To William Elyot, one of the king's masters in Chancery, in money paid to him upon his costs and expenses, he being sent by command of the king, by advice of his council, to a certain port in the southern parts of this 6 Aug.

1486. kingdom, to take separately the recognizances and fealty of the inhabitants of the said ports for the good behaviour of masters, pursers, and owners of ships, and of sailors going away from the said ports in any ships whatsoever, according to the form of a certain order in council, receiving the money, by his own hands, 14*l.* 1 Hen. VII.

14 Aug. To Roger Cotton, knt., master of the palfreys of our lady the queen, in money paid to him upon certain provision by him to be made and provided in his office, receiving the money by the hands of Alvered Corneburgh, esq., under-treasurer, by a writ of privy seal of the king, of this term, by his own hands, 50*l.*

18 Aug. To Peter de Schampeney, in full payment of 20 marks, appointed to him by the lord the king, for certain considerations, by a writ of privy seal of the king, of this term, by his own hands, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

18 Aug. To Maurice Marteyne, one of the marshals of the king's hall, in full payment of 10 marks, appointed to him by the lord the king, for certain great considerations concerning the king, by a writ of privy seal of the king, by his own hands, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

18 Aug. To the same Maurice, in money paid to him by command of the treasurer, for the fee of the seal of the writ abovesaid, by him paid to William Tilghman, one of the clerks of the king's privy seal, by his own hands, 6*s.* 8*d.*

20 Aug. To Marquo Jaket and William Older, the king's minstrels, by a writ of privy seal of the king, by his own hands, 100*s.*

21 Aug. To Philip Knyghton, sent by the king and his council unto the town of Berwyk, with the king's letters patent, containing the form of a certain truce or abstinence from war, begun, appointed, and concluded between James, king of the Scots, and the most excellent prince Henry VII., by the grace of God, king of England and France, and lord of Ireland, to be delivered

1 Hen.VII. to the ambassador of the said king in the parish church of the said town, on the 1st of September next ensuing, for his costs and expenses, by his own hands, 40*s.* 1486.

To Henry Rousselyn, in money paid to him for 14 doz. skins of bogy, lately sold by him to the king, by a writ of privy seal of the king, of this term, by his own hands, 14*l.* 22 Aug.

1–2 Hen.VII. To Thomas Penyngton, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, in full payment of 7*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, lately appointed to him by the lord the king, for the occupation and exercise of his said office, by a writ of privy seal of the king, of this term, by his own hands, 7*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* 26 Aug.

In the hands of Lord Dynham, treasurer of England, viz. at the hands of William Tystede, on the 29th day of August, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* 29 Aug.

To John Asteley, knt., of his annuity by the king's writ, receiving the money by the hands of Margery, his wife, 100*s.* 29 Aug.

To Andrew Dymmok, the king's solicitor, of his fee, at 10*l.* a year, for Easter term, by his own hands, 100*s.* 1 Sept.

To Richard Dolond, the king's clerk of the works, upon provision for the same, by his own hands, 10*l.* 1 Sept.

In the hands of Alvered Cornburgh, esq., under-treasurer, the 5th day of September, 12*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* 5 Sept.

To John Redyng, avener to the queen, in part payment of 50*l.* appointed to him for his expenses in waiting upon the palfreys and other horses of the said queen, besides 20*l.* received by him from Thomas Pyerson, by a writ of privy seal of the king, of this term, by his own hands, 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* 18 Sept.

To Richard Dolond, the king's clerk of the works, upon provision for the same, by his own hands, 20*l.* 18 Sept.

To Richard Dolond, the king's clerk of the works, upon provision for the same, receiving the money by the hands of John Serle, the king's painter, 5 marks. 18 Sept.

To Faulcon Pursevaunt, in full payment of 100*s.*, appointed to him by the lord the king, by a writ of the 18 Sept.

1486. king under his great seal, which is amongst the mandates of this term, for certain reasons contained in the same writ, by his own hands, 100*s.* 1-2 1 Hen.VII.

18 Sept. To William Nele, gunfounder, in money, paid to him for the making and working of certain weights, bushels, and other measures, appointed by the lord the king and his council, for certain important considerations, to be made and provided, by command of the treasurer, by his own hands, 15*l.*

1485. Grant to Richard Brampton of the office of keeper of 1 Hen.VII.
1 Oct. the park of Rowndhagh, in co. York ; to hold for term of his life, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 65.

1 Oct. Grant to Laurence Maderer of the office of keeper of the park of Musbury, in co. Lancaster ; to hold during his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 23^{b}.

1 Oct. Grant, for life, to Matthew Morton, of the office of parker of the park of Rowley, in co. Stafford, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same office pertaining. L. R. 97.

1 Oct. Thomas, Lord Stanley, is appointed to the office of chief steward of the duchy of Lancaster in the north parts for the term of his life, with the accustomed wages, fees, &c. L. R. 1.

1 Oct. Grant to Sir Edward Stanley of the offices of master forester of the forest of Boland, and keeper or parker of the park of Quermore, in the counties of York and Lancaster ; to hold for the term of his life, with the fees and wages to the same offices pertaining. L. R. 64^{b}.

1 Oct. Grant to Sir Edward Stanley of the office of sheriff of the county palatine of Lancaster ; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 22^{b}.

1 Oct. Grant to Sir Edward Stanley of the office of steward of the lordships of Londesdal and Amondernes, in co. Lancaster ; to hold for the term of his life, with the fees wages, &c. thereunto belonging. L. R. 22^{b}.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Robert Staunton, of the offices of steward and constable of the castle and lordship or manor of Casteldonyngton, in co. Leicester, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 123. 1485. 1 Oct.

Grant to William Staunton of the offices of bailiff of the lordship of Casteldonyngton and keeper of the park there, within the county of Leicester; to hold the office of bailiff during the king's pleasure, and the office of keeper during his life, with the accustomed fees and wages to the same offices pertaining. L. R. 123. 1 Oct.

Grant to Sir John Talbot of the office of bailiff of the wapentake of Staynclyf, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same office pertaining. L. R. 64. 1 Oct.

Grant to Henry Whittokesmede of the office of bailiff of the honor of Trobrugge, in co. Wilts.; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 187b. 1 Oct.

Grant to Thomas Coton of the office of bailiff of the franchises of Walden, in co. Essex; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 163. 2 Oct.

Grant to John Carpenter of the office of bailiff of the fee of the duchy of Lancaster within the county of Devon; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. unto the same pertaining. L. R. 188. 3 Oct.

Grant to Roger Holand of the office of feodary of the duchy of Lancaster within the county of Devon; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto belonging. L. R. 187b. 3 Oct.

Grant to Henry Poole of nine quarters and a half of corn yearly, issuing out of the vill of Orton, in co. Lancaster, until the king shall provide him with an office of the same annual value as the nine quarters and a half of corn; which said corn Ranulph Holcroft lately had of the grant of Richard, late duke of Gloucester. L. R. 49. 3 Oct.

1485. 3 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Shilton, of the office of steward of the duchy of Lancaster within the county of Lancaster, with all fees, wages, &c. unto the same pertaining. L. R. 187b. 1 Hen. VII.

3 Oct. Grant to the king's brother George, Lord Strange, of the office of constable of the castle of Knaresburgh, and of the office of master forester of the forest there, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York ; to hold for the term of his life, with the fees and wages to the said offices pertaining, with the power of appointing all the officers of the said castle and forest for the term of his life. L. R. 63.

4 Oct. Grant to Hugh ap Rys, for his life, of the office of keeper of the park and manor of Apchild, in co. Essex, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 163.

4 Oct. The auditor of the duchy of Lancaster, the receiver of the honor of Pountfret, in Knaresburgh, and the receiver of the honor of Tikhill, are to pay 228*l.*, out of the revenues of these honors, to "John Dawnsey, treasurer of "the household kept at Shirefhoton and Sandal Magna, "which sum he owes to divers persons, by the assign-"ment of Richard, late duke of Gloucester," and which the king desires the said John Dawnsey to discharge forthwith. L. W., &c.

4 Oct. Grant to Thomas Radclyf of the office of constable of the castle of Lancaster ; to hold for the term of his life, with all the fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. arising out of the vill or hamlet of Skerton, near Lancaster ; and, moreover, of 20 marks annually, as Christopher Bartun, late constable of the said castle, had and received, and as the same Thomas Radclyff, constable of the aforesaid castle, lately had and received, out of the issues and revenues of the vill or hamlet of Overton, near Lancaster. L. R. 23b.

5 Oct. Grant, for life, to David Philipp, of the office of steward of all the lordships, manors, lands, &c. within the counties

1 Hen. VII. of Northampton and Cambridge pertaining to the duchy of Lancaster; also of the office of steward of all the said premises; receiving for the same offices annually the accustomed fees and wages thereunto pertaining. L. R. 147. 1485.

Master Henry Wode is presented to the king's free chapel, within the castle of Plasshe, in co. Essex. L. R. 168. 5 Oct.

Grant to William Core of the office of steward of the wapentakes of Derby and Salford, within the county of Lancaster; to hold, during the minority of Richard Molyneux, son and heir of Sir Thomas Molyneux, with all fees, wages, &c. to the said office due and pertaining. L. R. 23. 6 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Sir Richard Eggecombe, comptroller of the king's household, of the office of constable of the castle of Hertford, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 164. 8 Oct.

Grant to John Newbury of the office of bailiff of the Savoy, in co. Middx.; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 178. 8 Oct.

The bailiffs, farmers, and other officers of the manors and lordships of Monmouth, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, Asperton and Stratton, in co. Hereford, Tilerton, Mynsterworth, Rodeley, and Etlowe, in co. Gloucester, parcel of the honor of Monmouth, are informed that the king has appointed John Gunter and Richard Lusher to be joint auditors of the said honor and lordships. L. W., &c. 9 Oct.

Grant to David ap Ivan ap Jankyn' of the offices of ringild of the commotes of Kydwelly and Carnollan Maire, and ringild of Hieskennen' ammabership; also of the office of escheator of the same in South Wales: to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 216b. 9 Oct.

1485. 9 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Lewelyn, of the offices of steward and receiver of the lordship of Uggemore, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 216b. 1 Hen. VII.

9 Oct. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Owdeby, of the offices of constable of the castle of Higham Ferrers, in co. Northampton, and keeper of the warren there, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining, as Robert Pemberton lately had and received in the same offices. L. R. 147.

9 Oct. Grant, for life, to Edward Vavaser, of the office of porter of the castle of Bolyngbroke, with one close, called Castelgarth, to the same castle adjoining. L. R. 124.

9 Oct. Grant, for life, to Nicholas Williams, of the serjeancy of le Vale de Monnemouth, in West Wales, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 216b.

10 Oct. Grant, for life, to Sir Giles Dawbeney, of the office of steward of all the lordships, manors, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster within the counties of Southampton and Dorset, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 187.

10 Oct. Grant, for life, to Sir John Welles, Lord Welles, of the office of steward of all the lordships, manors, lands, &c. parcel of the duchy of Lancaster in co. Lincoln (except the office of steward of the lordship or manor of Longbenyngton and le Baile, near the castle of Lincoln, and all the lands and tenements in Longbenyngton and le Baile aforesaid, parcel of the said duchy); also of the office of constable of the castle of Bolyngbroke; with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 124.

10 Oct. Grant, for life, to Reginald Stanley, of the custody of Harlo and Fulwith, in co. York, with the fees, wages, &c. due and accustomed, issuing out of the revenues of the honor of Knaresburgh. L. R. 65b.

10 Oct. Grant, during the king's pleasure, to Hugh Smyth, junior, of the offices of bailiff of Bradford and parker of

1 Hen. VII. the park of Cansewyk, in co. York, during his life, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same offices pertaining. L. R. 64. 1485.

Grant, for life, to John Basket, of the office of steward of all the manors, lordships, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster in co. Berks., with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 205. 11 Oct.

Grant to William Drake of the office of bailiff of the lordship or manor of Enfeld, in co. Middx.; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 178. 14 Oct.

Grant, for life, to Sir Robert Pointz of the office of steward of all the lordships, manors, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster in the county of Gloucester, with the fees, wages, &c. to the same belonging. L. R. 208. 15 Oct.

Henry, &c. To our right enterly beloved fader Thomas Stanley, knight, Lord Stanley, and our welbeloved brethern George Stanley, knight, Lord Strange, Edward Stanley, knight, shriff of our countie palatyne and countie of Lancaster, and to every of theym, gretyng. For as moche as we pleyne undrestondyng that divers the subgettes of our cosyne James, kyng of Scottes, in great nomber and multitude, ben in ful purpose to invade and enter this our reame, entendyng to leaye seege to our town and castel of Berwik, and the townshipes and mansions of our liege peaple in our marches there to brenne, wast, and distroye, and the same our liege peaple there dwellyng to take, slee, and emprisone and devoure, and othre noyaunce to do, asmoche as they cann and maye, trustyng to have aide and favour at their comyng of divers riottuose and evel disposed personnes in thoes parties, which of their inward and froward malice and unnatural disposicion entend the distruccioun of us and of our liege peaple, by provokyng discensioun, discorde, and debate, as by makyng of assembles and commocions of our peaple steryng theym to the same dispocioun, whom, and whos malice we 15 Oct.

1485. entend brifly to resiste and recountre, by the grace of Almyghty God and help of our true and lovyng subgettes. We, willyng the defense of this our reame and marchis of the same, and of all our liege people, trustyng in your great trouthes, discrecions, and circumspect wisdomes, have assigned you and every of you, joyntly and severally, to take mustres of all meenn within our seid countie, aswel within libertates as without, beyng myghty and able to labour; and every man after hys state, degre, condicion, and facultie hymself to array and arme defensibly for the warre, and they so arraied and armed, straitly chargyng theym to holde and kepe the same contynually with theym, so that they alwey and every tyme be redy armed and arraied, and to attende uppoun our seid entirely belovied fader Thomas, Lord Stanley, our welbeloved brethern George, Lord Strange, and Edward Stanley, knight, shirref of our seid countie, or uppon any of them, when and as oft as it shalbe nedeful for the defence of our seid reame and marchis of the same, or for the subduyng of the said riotuos and evelle disposed personnes uppon short warnyng to theym gevyn by the seid Thomas, George, and Edward, or any of theym. Wherfore we wol and straitely charge you our seid commissioners and every of you, that, incontinent upponn the sight of this our commaundement, ye repaire, array, and arme your self and every of you, and over that cause al and every of our seid menn and subgettes to repaire, array, and arme theymself, and so arraied and armed to do, come, and be called bifore you at certeyn dayes and places by you to be lymytted, and our seid liege menn and subgettes not arrayed ne armed ye commaund and compelle onn our behalf to be arraied and armed in fourme aboveseid. And over this we yeve straitly in commaundement, by theis presentz, to al and singulre shireffes, maires, bailiffs, constables, and al othre our officers, ministres, liegmen, and subgettes whatsoever they be, aswel within franches as 1 Hen. VII.

1 Hen. VII. without, within our seid countie, that unto you they be attendant, assistent, behoyng, and obedient diligently in al the premissez. In witnes wherof we have doone to be made thes our lettres patentes undre the seale of our countye palatyne of Lancaster. Witnes myself at our town of Lancaster, the xv. daye of Octobre, the first yere of our reigne. L. W., &c. 1485.

Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved the receivour of our seid lordshippe of Kydwelly, parcel of the duchie of Lancaster, in Wales, gretyng. Latyng you wite that, in consideracioun of the good service which Sir Hugh John, knyght, did unto us in our tendre age, we have yeven unto hym, by way of reward, the some of ten poundes sterlyng, to be had and perceived, for thes tyme oonly, of the revenous of our seid lordshippe. Wherfore we wol and charge you that [ye] content and paye unto the seid Sir [Hugh] John the seid somme of x. li. And thes our lettres shalbe your sufficient warrant and discharge for your allowance bifore our auditours of our duchie of Lancaster at al tymes in that behalf. Yeven, &c. at London, the xv. daye of Octobre, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 15 Oct.

Grant to Henry Wyot of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Methwold, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Norfolk; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the wages, fees, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 147b. 16 Oct.

Grant to Sir John Rysley, in consideration of the various services he rendered to the king, as well beyond the sea as lately in the triumphant war in the kingdom of England, and the heavy burdens, labours, and perils which he faithfully endured during his life for the king, of the office of constable of the castle of Plasshe, with the custody of the great park of Plasshe; also of the offices of bailiff and parker of the vill and park of Dunmowe, in co. Essex; and also of the custody of the little park of Litley, within the same county: to hold for the term of his life, together with the fees, wages, &c. to 18 Oct.

1485. the same belonging, from the issues and revenues of the lordships of Plasshe, Dunmowe, and Litley. L. R. 163. 1 Hen. VII.

19 Oct. Grant, for life, to William Cook, for his services beyond the sea and in the king's late triumphant war in England, and for the great burdens, labours, and perils which he faithfully endured throughout his life for the king, of the office of keeper of the little park of Bede Plasshe, in co. Essex, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. issuing out of the revenues of the vill or lordship of Dunmowe. L. R. 163.

19 Oct. Grant to Thomas ap Howell of the office of bailiff of the vill and lordship of Asshborne, in le Peeke; to hold, during the king's pleasure, in as ample manner as Hugh Bardesley, now occupying the same office, has and receives in the same. L. R. 98.

19 Oct. Grant, for life, to Ralph Langford, of the office of lieutenant of Duffeld Frith, with the office of steward of the same, within the county of Derby, and the offices of parker of all the parks within the said Frith and the ward of the same, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 98.

19 Oct. Grant to John Lewes of the office of parker of the park of Walden, in co. Essex; to hold during the king's pleasure, with fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 163b.

22 Oct. Grant to Peter Curteys, on account of the great persecution, dangers, and punishments which he, in many ways, sustained for our love and quarrel, of the offices of bailiff and feodary of the honor, vill, and lordship of Leicester, and keeper of the park called le Frithe, and the ward of the park called Beaumondles, lying near the said Frithe, in co. Leicester; to hold the said offices of bailiff and feodary during the king's pleasure, and the office of keeper of the park of le Frithe, and the ward of the park called Beaumondles, for the term of his life, with all the fees, wages, &c. to the same offices pertaining. L. R. 123b.

1 Hen. VII. Grant, for life, to Peter Curweyn, of the office of keeper of the manor of Southam, in co. Gloucester, with the accustomed fees, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 205. 1485. 22 Oct.

Thomas Stokes, one of the clerks of the Exchequer, on account of the singular affection which the king entertains for him, is appointed attorney of the duchy of Lancaster in the court of Exchequer; to hold for the term of his life, and receive annually for the said office the accustomed fees and wages out of the revenues of the said duchy, by the hands of the receiver of the duchy. L. R. 2b. 23 Oct.

Westminster, 5 Nov.

Appointments of sheriffs (during pleasure).

John Byron, esq., cos. Notts. and Derb.
Thomas Pynchebek, co. Linc.
John Dygby, esq., cos. Warwick and Leic.
John Mortymer, knt., co. Heref.
Robert Poyntz, knt., co. Glouc.
Humfrey Stanley, knt., co. Staff.
William Fynderne, co. Cambridge and Hunt.
George Ingleton, cos. Bedford and Bucks.
John Paston, cos. Norf. and Suff.
John Fortescu, cos. Essex and Hertf.
Gilbert Talbot, knt., co. Salop.
John Coke, co. Southampton.
Roger Tocotes, co. Wilts.
Amyas Paulet, cos. Somerset and Dors.
John Halwell, co. Devon.
Everard Digby, co. Rutl.
Nicholas Gaynesford, cos. Surrey and Sussex.
Thomas Graynfeld, co. Cornwall.
John Sayvile, knt., co. York and the castle of York.
Edmund Mountford, knt., cos. Oxon and Berks.
Henry Veer, co. Northampton.
William Cheyne, co. Kent.
William Kelly, the elder, cos. Devon and Cornwall.

1485. William Case, cos. Somers. and Dors. 1 Hen. VII.
John Beaufitz, cos. Warwick and Leic.
Thomas Braynton, the elder, co. Hereford, and the marches of Wales adjoining the same.
William Tame, co. Glouc., and the marches of Wales adjoining the same.
William Harper, the elder, co. Staff.
Edward Leukenore, cos. Surrey and Sussex.
John Alfegh, cos. Kent and Midd.
Thomas Fitzwilliam, of Horncastell, co. Linc.
Baldwin Veer, cos. Northampton and Rutland.
Robert Gower, co. York.
Adam Penyngton, cos. Cumb. and Westmoreland.
Gregory Lovell, cos. Norf. and Suff.
Richard Bulstrode, cos. Bedf. and Bucks.
John Debden, cos. Camb. and Hunt.
Thomas Say, cos. Oxon and Berks.
James Lother, cos. Southampton and Wilts.
Henry Tey, cos. Essex and Hertf.
John Harewell, co. Worc.

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7 Nov. Grant to Sir John Morgan of the office of steward of the lordship of Grenefeld, alias Ebothe, and of receiver of the same; to hold the stewardship for the term of his life, and the receivership during the king's pleasure, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 216b.

8 Nov. Grant to John Wylde, of Tutbury, and John Wylde, his son, one of the clerks of the king's signet, of the office of porter of the castle of Tutbury, and keeper of the warren there, called le Foston Heth, to the same office pertaining; to hold, for the term of their lives and that of the longest liver of them, with the fees and wages to the same pertaining. L. R. 98.

8 Nov. Grant to William Toope of the office of bailiff and "le "hayward," of the hundred of Uplambourn and Chepyng-lambourn, and the bailiwick of the manor or lordship of

1 Hen. VII. Estgarston, and the custody of the warren there, within the county of Berks.; to hold during good behaviour, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 205. 1485.

Lease, for seven years, to Richard Lewkenore, Thomas Roote, and Nicholas Britte, of the fishery of two pools within the lordship or manor of Maresfeld, in co. Sussex, rendering annually for the same 20*s*. L. R. 183[b]. 10 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to John Vyvell, of a moiety of a certain meadow or pasture called Caresomedowe, which contains four acres, and with two acres of demesne land near the said moiety of the meadow, parcel of the lordship of Roddeley, in co. Gloucester, rendering annually for the said moiety of the meadow 13*s*. 4*d*., and for the said two acres of land 2*s*. L. R. 211. 10 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to Reyner de Soham, of the toll traverse of the bridge of Soham, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, rendering therefore annually 45*s*. L. R. 157. 18 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to John Isbury, of the chace or warren of Aldetourn, with the profits of the rabbit warren and the herbage and pasture there, together with the easement of one lodge within the Old Park, and all profits to the same pertaining, the lodge called Dedmere being excepted, rendering for the same annually 30*l*. The king keeping in repair, at his own expense, the said lodge in the Old Park, for the safe custody of the same chace; and if poachers or malefactors on the said chace or warren shall be captured by the said John or his deputies, the same shall be prosecuted by the king. L. R. 197. 18 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to Laurence Maderer, of the herbage and pannage of the park of Musbury, in co. Lancaster, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the said park, rendering therefore annually 9*l*. 0*s*. 12*d*.; the said Laurence to keep in repair, at his own expense, the pales, hedges, and ditches of the same park. L. R. 54. 19 Nov.

1485. 19 Nov. Lease, for seven years, to Gilbert Ligh, of the fulling-mill within the lordship of Ledys, with the whole of the soke to the same mill pertaining, rendering annually for the same 47*s.* L. R. 85. 1 Hen. VII.

19 Nov. Lease, for seven years, to Richard Bank, of Ledys, of all the corn-mills, with the whole of the soke to the same pertaining, rendering annually for the same 17*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.*, and 10*s.* of improved rent. L. R. 85.

20 Nov. Lease to Sir John Savile of divers parcels of demesne lands of the lordship of Altoftes, viz. one flat called Elkentrees, another flat called Hall Flat, a third flat called Wyllyryddyng, one meadow called Mykelmere, another called Assherowe, another called le High Ryddyng, another called le Lunstanyng, another called le Southyng, another called le South Crofte, another called le Weldoles, another called le Frerewere, another called le Sandyng; also divers parcels of demesne lands of the said lordship, viz. three closes called le Gile Karres, another close called Pyrenmere, another close called Huetrode, also another close called le Westflatt, one plot of land called Stanley Rode, a close called Mykelcanell or Gildkarres, a close called Ryddyng, the herbage of the park of Altoftes, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster: to hold all the said parcels of land and meadows for the term of seven years, rendering annually for the same 17*l.* 5*s.* 2*d.*, viz. for the said flats called Elkentrees, Hall Flat, and Wyleryddyng, the meadows called Mykelmere, Assherowe, le High Ryddyng, Lunstanyng, le Southyng, le South Crofte, le Weldoles, le Frerewere, and le Sandyng, 10*l.* 6*s.* 4*d.*; for the other parcels, viz. the close called Gilkarres, 30*s.*; the close called Pyrenmere, 11*s.*; the close called Huetrode, 8*s.*; the close called Westflatte, 10*s.* 6*d.*; the plot of land called Stanley Rode, 10*s.*; the close called Mykelcanell or Gyldkarres, 16*s.*; the close called Ryddyng, 13*s.* 4*d.*; the herbage and pannage of the aforesaid park, 40*s.*, and an improved rent of 4*s.* 10*d.* L. R. 85[b].

1 Hen. VII. Lease, for seven years, to Thomas Barowe, clk., and Richard Barowe, his brother, of the herbage of Meles and Skeques, with the profits of the coney warren there, and the spreading of nets to dry on the king's soil, and the custom of vessels called Leyre, viz. of ships carrying herrings, from each foreign ship drawing nets on the king's soil to dry whenever they shall come to land, 4*d.* of custom; also the profits of the court of Secourtes; rendering annually for the same 66*s.* 8*d.* L. R. 140. 1485. 20 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to William Herbert and John ap Howell ap Philpot, of the weir and fishery of the water of Wye, within the lordship of Monmouth, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, rendering annually for the same 7*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, and keeping the said weir in repair at their own cost. L. R. 222. 20 Nov.

Grant to Nicholas Knyfton and Nicholas Knyfton, his son, one of the ushers of the king's chamber, of the office of keeper of the park of Ravensdale, in Duffeld Frith, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, within the honor of Tutbury, in co. Derby; to hold for their lives and the life of the longest liver of them, with the accustomed fees and wages to the same pertaining. L. R. 98. 20 Nov.

Lease, for 21 years, to Henry Honybourn and William Franklyne, of three water-mills, under one covering, at Higham Ferrers, in co. Northampton, called Higham Mills, with two meadows to the said mills belonging, called the Holme and the Little Wroo; also two other water-mills, under one covering, called Dichford Mills; paying yearly for the same 22*l.*, and keeping in repair, at their own costs, the said mills, floodgates, dams, stones, &c., the king finding, at his expense, timber for the said repairs. L. R. 157. 21 Nov.

Grant to John Wyvell of the custody of the lands and heir of William Carswell, and of the custody of all the lordships, manors, &c. to the same in any way belonging or pertaining, which, by reason of the minority of John Carswell, son of the said William Carswell, are 22 Nov.

1485. in the king's hands; to hold until the full age of the same John, &c. L. R. 189. 1 Hen. VII.

23 Nov. Grant to Thomas Holt of the office of steward of the lordship of Merston, within the honor of Pontefract, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with all profits and emoluments to the same office pertaining. L. R. 63.

23 Nov. Lease, for seven years, to Geoffrey Johnson, William Johnson, his son, and William Assheton, of the water-mill called Hoppyngmyll, with the pool, the fishery, and the weir there; also of two crofts to the same mill adjoining, situate in Beaurepaire, in co. Derby; also of the water-mill of Beaurepaire, in Duffeld Frith, in co. Derby, parcel of the honor of Tutbury; rendering annually for the said mill called Hoppyngmyll 46*s.* 8*d.*, and for the mill of Beaurepaire 13*s.* 4*d.*, and 5*s.* of improved rent, and keeping the said mills in repair, the king finding oaks and other necessaries, by view of the receiver of the honor of Tutbury. Provided always, that if it happen that the mill called Hoppyngmyll shall be injured by the great and sudden flow and impetuosity of the waters, whereupon, by the judgment of the said steward and receiver of Tutbury, the injury cannot be repaired for five marks, then the king shall repair the defect at his own expense. L. R. 110[b].

23 Nov. Lease, for seven years, to William Moore, of the water-mill of Lone, called Lonesmyll, near Lancaster, with the fishery in the said mill-pool, rendering annually for the same five marks sterling, and rebuilding and keeping the same in proper repair during his term, the king finding large timber for the repair of the said mill. L. R. 54.

23 Nov. Grant to Thomas Pynchebek of the office of receiver-general of the duchy of Lancaster in and throughout the county of Lincoln; to hold during the king's pleasure, receiving annually for the same the accustomed fees and wages thereunto pertaining. L. R. 124.

1 Hen. VII. Grant to Thomas Quadryng of the office of bailiff of the vill or lordship of Wrangill, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Lincoln; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 124. 1485. 23 Nov.

Grant to Robert Roos of the office of keeper of the park of Pountfret, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto belonging, issuing out of the honor of Pountfret. L. R. 65. 23 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to Robert Staunton, of the herbage and pannage, with "le browsyng," of the park of Casteldonyngton, in co. Leicester, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the said park, rendering annually for the same 44*s.*, and the improved rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* L. R. 140. 23 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to John Scarlet, of the toll, otherwise called traverse, and the customs of the lordship, castle, and honor of Hertford, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, viz. the taking of the following customs on all things for sale going through the vill of Hertford, and through the vills of Ware, Hattefeld-Bishop, Thele, and elsewhere in divers places in the county of Hertford; that is to say, twopence from every cart carrying woollen cloth, hides, wine, and other merchandize and things for sale, passing over the bridges of Ware and Hertford, or elsewhere in the different places above mentioned; for every pack horse laden with things for sale, of which the pack is bound with cord or other fastenings under the horse's stomach, one penny, but if there be no fastening, then one halfpenny, except the horse be carrying corn for itself, then only one farthing; for every man going over the bridge or elsewhere, and carrying on his back merchandize or other things for sale, the value of which exceeds four sterlings, one farthing; also the fishery of the demesne water of Hertford, late in the tenure of Nicholas Bedell; rendering 23 Nov.

1485. annually 33*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* for the said toll and customs, and 1 Hen. VII.
26*s.* 8*d.* for the fishery, and 13*s.* 4*d.* for the improved rent. L. R. 170.

23 Nov. Grant to Ralph Verney of the office of feodary and bailiff of the liberty of the duchy of Lancaster in the counties of Bedford and Buckingham; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 164.

24 Nov. Lease, for seven years, to Robert Orton, of all manner of "Tabell' and Shamell', within the vill of Leicester, "called Saturday Shamelles and St. Nicholas Shamelles, "and a certain house upon the said Saturday Shamelles, "called le Drapry, with all shopis and tabelles to the "same pertaining or belonging," rendering annually for the same 8*l.* 12*s.* 3*d.*, and an improved rent of 12½*d.* L. R. 140.

24 Nov. Lease, for seven years, to Richard Grene, of the tolls, stallage, and perquisites of the court of Burghbrigge, together with the bailiwick of the same vill, also the water and fulling-mills of the said vill, in co. York; rendering annually for the tolls, stallage, and perquisites of the court and office aforesaid 5 marks, and for the said mills, 24*l.*, and an improved rent of 6*s.* 8*d.*, the king undertaking all repairs of the stallage. L. R. 85.

25 Nov. Grant to Roger Holand and John Wyvell of the office of feodary and bailiff of the franchises and liberties of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold for the term of their lives, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 188.

25 Nov. Lease, to John Glover, for seven years, of the manor of Altoftes, with two gardens to the same manor pertaining; of one "launde" called le Hallelaunde; also of three closes, called Milneflatte, Northcrofte, and Smaylley, to the same manor likewise pertaining; also of the herbage and pannage of the park of Altoftes, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, sufficient pasture for the king's game within the same park being reserved;

1 Hen. VII. rendering annually for the said manor, with the two gardens, 13*s.* 4*d.*; for the "launde," 16*s.*; for the three closes, 4*l.* 12*d.*; and for the herbage and pannage of the park, 42*s.*; and an improved rent of 2*s.* 4*d.* L. R. 85. 1485.

Lease, for seven years, to Roger Hopton, of the site of the manor or lordship of Acworth, and all the demesne lands to the same manor pertaining, with the water-mill there, and the agistment of the park of Acworth, and the profits (aucupatio) within the said lordship; also of the herbage and pannage of the park of Rothewelhay, in co. York; rendering therefore annually for the site of the manor or lordship, with the demesne lands, 10*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; for the water-mill, 33*s.* 4*d.*; for the agistment of the park of Acworth, 10*s.*; for the profits within the lordship, 8*d.*; and for the herbage and pannage of Rothewelhay, 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; and an improved rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* L. R. 85. 25 Nov.

Grant to Robert Atherton of the office of county bailiff of Westderby, within the county of Lancaster, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 24. 26 Nov.

Sir John Fogge and his son John Fogge are appointed to the office of chamberlain of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold during the term of their lives and that of the longest liver of them, receiving in the same office the accustomed wages, fees, &c. out of the profits of the revenues of the manors of Kyrtlyngton, in co. Oxon., of Whetenhurst and Southam, in co. Gloucester, and Westcote, in co. Berks. L. R. 1[b]. 26 Nov.

Grant to the provost and fellows of Jesus College, of Rotherham, in the county and dioc. of York, and their successors for ever, of the advowson and right of patronage of the parish church of Almondebury, in the county and dioc. of York, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, of the honor of Pountfret. L. R. 81. 27 Nov.

1485. 27 Nov. Grant to Richard Greneway of the office of master forester of the forest called Hadenokwode, within the lordship of Monnemouth, in Wales; to hold during his life, with the fees, wages, &c. to the same belonging. L. R. 216b. 1 Hen. VII.

29 Nov. Grant to Sir John Savile, knight of the king's body, of the office of feodary within the honor of Pontifract, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with all fees, wages, &c. to the same belonging. L. R. 64.

29 Nov. Grant to James Carre of the office of bailiff of the lordship of Emeldon, in co. Northumberland, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees and wages thereunto pertaining. L. R. 65b.

30 Nov. Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Leventhorpe, of the lordship and manor of Bradford, in co. York, with all rents, farms of mills, shops, tolls, perquisites of courts and tourns, &c., rendering annually for the same 28*l.*, and 6*s.* 8*d.* of improved rent. L. R. 85b.

30 Nov. Grant to William Herbert of the offices of receiver and approver of the lordships of Monnemouth, Whitecastell, Skinfrith, and Grossemont, in Wales; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the profits, emoluments, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 216b.

30 Nov. William Copley, one of the clerks of the King's Bench, is appointed attorney [of the duchy of Lancaster] in the said Court of King's Bench; to hold "quamdiu in co- "dem se bene gesserit," receiving annually 100*s.* for his fee, by the hands of the receiver-general of the duchy. L. R. 2b.

30 Nov. Grant to Sir Guy Fairfax of the office of chief justice of the Pleas of the Crown, to be held at the assizes at Lancaster, or elsewhere within the county palatine of Lancaster; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 22b.

1 Hen. VII. Lease to Thomas Uncle of a wood, within the honor of Bolyngbroke, called Hundelbywode, and of one grove, called le Shrubbes, near the park of Kyrkeby, within the honor aforesaid, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Lincoln, and the tolls of the market and fairs of the vill of Bolyngbroke; to hold for the term of seven years, rendering therefore annually for the said wood called Hundelbywode, 9*s.* 4*d.*; for the grove called le Shrubbes, 2*s.*; for the tolls of the market and fairs, 20*s.*; and an improved rent of 2*s.* L. R. 140. 1485. 30 Nov.

Grant to Roger Hopton of the office of parker of the park of Acworth, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster within the honor of Pountfret, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, and receiving annually the fees, wages, and rewards to the same office due and belonging. L. R. 65. 30 Nov.

Lease, for seven years, to Thomas Elys, of all the water-mills called Fletemylles, within the honor of Pountfret, with all fisheries, water-rights and commodities to the same pertaining, rendering annually for the same 20 marks, and an improved rent of 13*s.* 4*d.* L. R. 85^{b}. 1 Dec.

Lease, for seven years, to William Ratclyff, of the herbage and pannage of the parks of Bilton and Hay, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. York, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the said parks; rendering annually for the same, viz. for the herbage and pannage of the park of Bilton, 9*l.*; for the herbage and pannage of the park of Hay, 7*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; and an improved rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* L. R. 85^{b}. 2 Dec.

Grant and confirmation to Sir Edward Hastinges, Lord Hastinges, son and heir of Sir William Hastinges, Lord Hastinges, of the office of steward of the honor and lordship of Leicester, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, and of all the lordships, manors, lands, &c. in the counties of Leicester, Northampton, and Warwick parcel of the said 2 Dec.

1485. honor; also of the offices of constable or keeper of the 1 Hen. VII.
castle of Leicester and porter of the same castle, and of the office of chief forester or keeper of the chace or lordship and honor aforesaid; also of the office of keeper of the park of Frith of Leicester called Leicester Frith, and the custody of one place or lodge within the same park called Bryddes Nest, and the custody of one wood out of the same parks and within the said chace called Beaumondes Wode; also of the office of forester or keeper of one part of the foreign wood within the said chace; and of the office of keeper or custodian of Hethelwarde within the chace aforesaid; and of the office of keeper of Twayte, otherwise called Werkershippe, within the same chace; and of the office of keeper or custodian of the parks called Tolow Park and Baron' Park adjoining the said chace; also of the office of parker or custodian of the park of Hynkley, and warrener of the same; also of the office of feodary of the lordship or honor aforesaid in the counties of Warwick, Leicester, Northampton, and Rutland (to hold after the death of John Langton, who had the same office for the term of his life) ;—to have and to hold all the same offices to him and the heirs male of his body issuing, receiving annually the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same offices pertaining; all of which offices, &c. King Edward IV., by his letters patent under the seal of the duchy of Lancaster, granted to the said Sir William Hastinges, Lord Hastinges, and the whole of which King Henry VII. confirms to the said Sir Edward Hastinges, Lord Hastinges. L. R. 123[b].

2 Dec. Grant to Jasper, duke of Bedford and earl of Pembroke, of the stewardship of all courts in the castles and lordships of Monnemouth, Grossemonte, Whitecastell, and Skenfrith, in the marches of Wales, Asperton, and Stratton, in co. Hereford, Mynsterworthy, Rodley, Ettelowe, and Tiberton, in co. Gloucester, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; also of the constableship of the castles of Monnemouth, Grossemonte, Whitecastell, and Skenfrith, and of

1 Hen. VII. the portership and custody of gates of the castle of Monnemouth, and of the custody of the woods of Whitecastell, Grossemonte, and Skenfrith : to hold for the term of his life, with all the fees, wages, &c. to the same pertaining. L. R. 216. 1485.

Grant to Thomas Skaresbrek of the office of master forester of the forests of Simondeswode, Toxstath, and Croxstath, in co. Lancaster ; to hold during the minority of Richard Molyneux, son and heir of Sir Thomas Molyneux, and receiving annually for the said office the ancient accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 23[b]. 3 Dec.

Lease for seven years to Sir John Fortescu of the site of the manor of Enfeld, in co. Middx., with the demesne lands, &c. from the postern of the park there to the head of Swynespound, with the pasture of Oldbury garden and Oldbury crofte, and with the works of reaping corn, mowing the meadows, and the harvesting the corn arising from the customary tenants there not let to farm, and with the pasture called Lez lee, and of a certain stable, situate on the north part of the same manor, reserved for the king's auditor and receiver ; also of a tenement in Enfeld called Hakeneys, with the lands, meadows, &c. in anywise thereunto pertaining ; and the profits of five quarters of grain and thirty quarters of wheat arising from the fee-farm of the multure of the water-mill of Enfeld ; rendering annually for the said site of the manor, with the other premises, 22*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* ; for the said tenement called Hakeneys, 4*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* ; and for the said profits of the five quarters of grain and thirty quarters of wheat, 100*s.* ; with an improved rent of 20*d.*, and keeping the said premises within the said site in repair at his own cost, except accidents arising through the wind or fire ; and the said tenant is to have sufficient housbote, ploughbote, cartbote, haybote, and firebote, to be used within the site of the said manor, but not elsewhere. L. R. 183. 4 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Bennyngham, of an annuity or annual rent of 25 marks. L. R. 224. 5 Dec.

1485. 5 Dec. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved the maier and bailiffes of our toune of Monmouth, and to every of them gretyng. Latyng you wite that, in consideracioun of the feithful service which our wilbeloved subgett Hugh ap Owell did unto us at our victorious feelde, where it happened hym to be sore hurt and maymed, we, of our grace especial, have yeven unto hym, by way of reward, the some of twenty poundes, and appoynted hym to [be] paied of the same, by your handes, of our fee-ferme of our seide towne. Wherefore we wol and charge you that, incontynent uppon the sighte of thes our lettres, of thissues of oure seid fee-ferme beyng in your handes, ye content and paie, or do to be contented and paied, unto our seid subgett Hugh ap Howel the some of twenty poundes. And thes our lettres shalbe your sufficient warant and discharge ayenst yus at al tymes in that behalf. Yeven at our citie of London, undre the seale of our seid duchie, the 5 day of December, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

6 Dec. Grant to Nicholas Britte of the office of receiver of the lordships, manors, lands, &c. of all the honors and lordships of Aquila and Pevensey, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Sussex; to hold during good behaviour, receiving for the same the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 178[b].

6 Dec. Grant to Anne Babthorp, for her life, of an annuity or yearly rent of 10 marks out of the profits and revenues of the honor or lordship of Tuttebury, within the county of Stafford, which said annuity Joan Mountfort, now deceased, formerly had and received. L. R. 108.

6 Dec. Lease, for seven years, to William Scargille, of certain tillage land called le Thwayte, one parcel of pasture called Rothewellyngstonere, in Rothewell, pasture for 16 animals in the park of Rothewell, besides pasture for eight animals in the several pasture called le Rewles, within the said park, with sufficient ploughbote and waynbote in the said park (by the assignment of the manor of Rothewell or the chief forester of the same)

1 Hen. VII. for repairing the wagons and ploughs, and making new ones; also all the demesne land between the water of Eyre and the meadow of Rothewell, with free entry and exit through and in the said park; with licence to cut and throw down hedges growing in the said land, for fuel and enclosures; with pasture for six oxen and two horses in summer in the said park, and certain tenements and demesne pasture called les Parkes; with licence to take thorns, &c. in the lands, &c. at the manor of Secrofte; rendering annually for the same 25*l.* 11*s.*, and an improved rent of 2*s.*, and keeping all the houses, &c. in repair, and discharging the other burdens pertaining to the manor of Secrofte, or belonging to the great barn and old chamber in ruins, and having housbote in the wood of Secrofte, and one pit for coal (unum foramen pro carbonibus) in the field of Secrofte. L. R. 86[b]. 1485.

Grant to Walter ap Lewes of the offices of itinerant bailiff of the lordships of Kydwelly, Karnollan, and Iskennen', and of attorney in the courts of the same lordships; to hold during the king's pleasure, with all fees, wages, &c. unto the same belonging. L. R. 217. 7 Dec.

Master John Morgan, the king's clerk and councillor, is presented to the office of dean of the collegiate church of St. Mary, near the castle of Leicester, void by the death of Master William Chauntre, the last dean there. L. R. 133. 9 Dec.

Grant to Richard Parker, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, of 12*d.* a day for his life while exercising that office. L. R. 49. 10 Dec.

Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Britte and Thomas Root, of the herbage and pannage within the park of Maresfeld, in co. Sussex, with the profits of the coney warren within and without the said park, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the same park, rendering annually for the same 30*s.*, and an improved rent of 2*s.* L. R. 183. 10 Dec.

1485. 10 Dec. Christopher Hanyngton is appointed attorney of the duchy of Lancaster in the Court of the Chancery of England; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. L. R. 2[b]. 1 Hen. VII.

10 Dec. Thomas Asshow is presented to the free chapel within the castle of Kydwelly, in Wales. L. R. 221.

11 Dec. Grant to Sir Henry Heydon of the custody of all the lordships, manors, lands, &c. which belonged to Henry Straunge, deceased, who, on the day of his death, held of the king, as of his duchy of Lancaster, by knight's service, and which lordships, &c. after the death of the said Henry Straunge, and by reason of the minority of Roger Straunge, his son and heir, came into the king's hands, together with the marriage of the said Roger; to have and hold the custody aforesaid to the said Henry Heydon, from the time of the death of the said Henry Straunge unto the full and lawful age of the said Roger, &c. L. R. 147[b].

11 Dec. Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Agard, of the water-mill of Merchyngton, together with the parcel of land called le Holm, adjoining the same mill, rendering annually for the same 56*s.* 8*d.*, and 12*d.* of improved rent, and keeping in repair, at his own expense, the said mill, and the houses and weir belonging thereto, the king finding the timber, pyles, and ramelles, when necessary, by the view of the steward or receiver of the honor of Tuttebury. Provided that if it happen, in the judgment of the said steward and receiver, that the said mill and weir be injured by the great and sudden flow and impetuosity of the waters, and the repair of the same shall exceed the sum of five marks, then the king shall repair the same at his expense. L. R. 110.

12 Dec. Lease to Sir Thomas Molyneux of the herbage of the park of Croxstath, in co. Lancaster, during the minority of Richard, son and heir of the said Thomas, rendering annually for the same 112*s.*, and 8*s.* of improved rent. L. R. 54.

1 Hen. VII. Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Britte, of the lands and pastures called le Quene Sattes, lying in the marshes of Pevensey, in co. Sussex, viz. from the bridge called Pevensey Brigge to the bridge called Rykney Brigge, on the other side called le Haven, rendering annually 46*s.* 8*d.*, and an improved rent of 2*s.* L. R. 183[b]. 1485. 12 Dec.

Master Henry Wode, whom the king presented, on the 5th of October last, to the free chapel within the castle of Plasshe, in co. Essex, resigns the same chaplaincy, and the king presents John Attechenson to the said chapel. L. R. 168. 13 Dec.

Lease, for seven years, to Nicholas Knyfton and John Sutton, of the herbage and pannage of the park of Shothill, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in co. Derby, reserving pasture for the king's game within the said park, and rendering annually 15*l.* L. R. 110[b]. 13 Dec.

Grant to Henry Carre, for his service as well beyond the sea as within the realm of England, of the office of keeper of the park of Fyppyn, in co. York; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed fees, wages, &c. to the same belonging. L. R. 65. 14 Dec.

Grant, for life, to Richard Spect, of the office of receiver of the lordship or manor of Longbenyngton, in co. Lincoln, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 124. 19 Dec.

Grant to Thomas Fyssher of the office of feodary of the duchy of Lancaster within the honor of Tykhull, in co. York; to hold during the king's pleasure, with the fees, wages, &c. to the same belonging. 20 Dec.

Henry, &c. To our enterly beloved broder the Lord Straunge, our trusty and right welbeloved broder Sir Edward Stanley, knight, our trusty and welbeloved Sir Alexandre Hought', Sir Cristofer Southworth, Sir Thomas Talbot, Sir Richard Shirbourn, knyghtes, Nicholas Towley, Laurens Townley, Edmund Grenhaghe, Thomas Holt, esquyers, and Hugh Gartside, deputie receivour of our duchie of Lancaster within our countie 24 Dec.

1485. palatyne of Lancastre, and to every of theym, gretyng. 1 Hen. VII.
And for somoch as we be enfourmed, that dyvers our tenauntes and othre of our seid duchie within our seid countie palatyne refrayne and denie to paye to us the rentes and duties, wherof we greatly mervaile; wherfore we wol and straitly charge you, the seid deputy receivour, and to such as he shal depute for the same, for the hasty expedicioun of the seid recept. And if ye fynde resistence by any person or persones to the lett of levying of our seid duties, that than, after the custume and usage of our seid countye palatyne and lawes used in the same, ye, on our behalf, constreyn theym to pay and content their dueties without any ferthere delaye, as right and good consciens shall require. Not failyng herof, as ye entend to please us and eschew the contrarie. Yeven, &c. at London, the 24ti day of Decembre, the furst yere, &c. L. W., &c.

28 Dec. Lease, for seven years, to Matthew Baker, of the herbage and pannage of the park of Kenelworth, and the pool within the same park, and the fishery of the water there, called le Castelpoole, and bayes to the same pertaining; also of two water-mills—one within the castle of Kenelworth, and the other without the same castle—with les bayes to the same pertaining; also of a certain pasture called Overhynsell and Netherhynsell, and one croft called Cowcastell, and the second vestura de le Polehede, together with a croft called Calvercrofte, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, in the county of Warwick, reserving sufficient pasture within the said park for the king's game; rendering annually for the herbage, pannage, and pool within the parks, 73*s.* 4*d.*; for the fishery of the water called Castelpoole, 73*s.* 4*d.*; for the two water-mills, 73*s.* 4*d.*; for the pasture called Overhynsell and Netherhynsell, 26*s.* 8*d.*; for the croft called Cowcastell, 8*s.*; and the second vestura de le Polehede, 6*s.* 8*d.*; and for the croft called Calvercrofte, 8*s.* L. R. 140.

1 Hen. VII. Grant to Sir John Ratclyff, Lord Fitzwater, of the stewardship of all the honors, castles, lordships, manors, lands, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster within the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, and Cambridge, and of the offices of feodary and bailiff of the liberty of the duchy in the said counties of Norfolk and Suffolk; to hold for the term of his life, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 147b. 1486. 1 Jan.

John Gunter and Richard Lussher, having been appointed auditors of the castles, honors, and lordships of Monmouth, Ebboth, Ogmore, and Kydwelly, with their members and appurtenances, in Wales, and the marches of the same, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, the receivers, bailiffs, and other officers of the same honors and lordships are commanded to appear before the said auditors with their accounts, and to give credence and assistance to them in that behalf. L. W. &c. 7 Jan.

Lease, for seven years, to Henry Shepard, of two grain-mills and one other mill in Tutbury, together with the pools, fisheries, and meadow to the same mills pertaining, rendering annually for the same 7*l.*, and 12*d.* of improved rent, and keeping in repair, at his own cost, the said mills and "les weres" to the same pertaining, the king finding the timber and the underwood, called "trowles and pyles," for the repair of the mills and the other premises—to be taken out of the parks of Rolston, Stokley, and the ward of Tutbury, under the view of the surveyor of the chace of Nedewode. L. R. 110b. 10 Jan.

Lease, for seven years, to John Twyselton, of the herbage and pannage of the park of Cradelyng, the meadow called le Stokkyng, and the herbage and underwood of le Grove, pertaining to the honor of Pountfret, in co. York, reserving sufficient pasture for the king's game within the said park; rendering annually for the herbage and pannage of the said park, 4*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; for the meadow called Stokkyng, 46*s.* 8*d.*; and for the 10 Jan.

1486. herbage and underwood of le Grove, 6*s.* 8*d.*; and an improved rent of 3*s.* 4*d.* L. R. 86. 1 Hen. VII.

12 Jan. Henry, &c. To our trusty and welbeloved servaunt Nicholas Leventhorpe, receivour of our honnours of Pountfret, Knaresburgh, and Pykeryng, parcell of our duchie of Lancaster, in our countie of York, our welbeloved Richard Pek, receivour of our honnour of Tykhille, parcel of our seid duchie within our seid countie, and to al othere our receivours of the same our duchie within the seid countie, and to every of theym, gretyng. Latyng you wit, that for the sure sauf kepyng and defense of our towne of Berwik, and the marches of this our royaume adjoynaunt unto Scotland in thoes parties, and for the contentacioun and payment of the wages of the souldeours and othre sett and ordeyned in and for the same, we have assigned al such sommes of money as have commene or herafter shal comme to your handes of the receipt of your seid offices, of the hool yere ended at Mighelmas last past, to be delyvered to our righte trusty and enterly beloved cousyn therle of North., warden of our seid merchandise, and to be emploied by hym uppon the seid kepyng, defense, and paymentes of of the seid wages. Wherfore we wol and straitly charge you, al and every of you, that, incontenent uppon the sight of thes our lettres, ye do content and pay alle the seid sommes of money unto our seid cosyn, or to such as he shall assign in that behalf, reseyvyng lettres of acquietaunce for the same, which and these our lettres shalbe unto you and to every of you sufficient warrant and discharge at al tymes anenst us uppon your accomptes to be yolden in that parties. Not failyng herof, as ye entend to please us, and avoide the parelles that for noone payement therupon may ensue. Yeven, &c., at the xii. daye of Janever, the furst yer, &c.

17 Jan. Treaty of peace, for three years, between France and England. The French copy of the treaty. Ex autogr.

1 Hen. VII. The bailiffs, receivers, and other officers of the honor of Tutbury and High Pecke, in the counties of High Pek, in the counties of Stafford, Derby, and Leicester, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster, are forthwith commanded to content and pay to John Agard, deputy receiver of the premises, all such sums of money as are due to the king for the year ended at Michaelmas last past. L. W. &c. 1486. 20 Jan.

Grant, for life, to William Coope, of the office of feodary of all the lordships, manors, lands, &c. of the duchy of Lancaster in the counties of Southampton, Wilts., Somerset, and Dorset, with all fees, wages, &c. thereunto pertaining. L. R. 188. 28 Jan.

Manumission from villeinage of William at Wole, or Wele, of Knyghton, in the parish of Canford, in co. Dorset, a villein of the manor of Kyngston Lacy, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster. L. R. 188b. — Jan.

Henry, &c. To al bailiffes, constables, reves, and othre ministres, tenaunts and inhabitaunts of oure castelles, lordshippes, and manors of Monemouth, Grossemont, Whitcastel, Skenfrith, in the marches of Wales; Asperton and Stratton, in the countie of Hereford; Mynsterworth, Roddeley, Ettebowe, and Tiburton, with their membres, in the countie of Gloucester, parcel of our duchie of Lancastre, and to every of theym, gretyng. Latyng you wite, for certeyn and gret consideraciouns us movyng, and of our grace especial, we have ordeyned, deputed, and assigned our most deere uncle Jasper, duc of Bedford and erle of Pembroke, and our trusty and welbeloved servaunt John ap Howel, gentleman, juointley and severally, to be stewards of our seid castelles and lordshippes, manors, with the membres and the appurtenaunces of the same; to have and occupye to theym, by theym, or by their sufficient deputies, duryng our pleasour. Wherfor we wol and charge you, al and every of you, that unto our said uncle, and servaunt John ap Howell, or either of theym, or their deputies, thiese our — Jan.

1486. present lettres shewed, ye be attendant, obedient, and assistent in al thynges, as apperteyneth, as ye entend to deserve of us a special thank, and eschew our displeasour. Yeven, &c. the [ ] Januer, the furst yere, &c. L.W., &c. 1 Hen. VII.

4 Feb. Lease, for seven years, to Robert Morley, of a certain parcel of waste land near the park of Quernemore, called Holenhede, parcel of the waste land called Skalthwayte, lying between the park of Quernemore and the water of Lone, parcel of the said duchy, rendering annually for the said parcel of land called Holenhede 43*s.* 4*d.*, and for the said parcel of land called Skalthwayte 6*s.* 8*d.*, and an improved rent of 12*d.* L. R. 54.

24 Feb. Henry, &c. To al maires, shriffes, and bailiffes, constables, and al other our officers and ministres, without aswel within our countie of Middx. as elleswher within our reame of England, now beying and for the tyme herafter shalbe, and to every of theym, gretyng. Where our tenauntes, inhabitauntes, and reciauntes within our lordshippi and towne of Enfelde, in the said countie, and elliswhere within this our reame, the which ben parcell of our duchie of Lancastre, aswel by olde usage and custume had out of tyme that no mynde ris, as by divers grauntes made by our noble progenitours to divers dukes of the said duchie, auctorised by auctorite of dyvers Parliamentes, have used and oughte to be quyte of toll, transverse, and [ ], pavage, passage, pontage, lastage, stallage, cariage, pesage, picage, and terrage, in al places within this our seid reame, diverse persones, having no regard to the said use, custume, grauntes, and auctorite, of late have compelled, in sondry places within our seid countie, our tenauntes, inhabitantes, and receantes, contrarye to the seid use and custume, and contrary to the seid grauntes auctorite; and also where diverse our seid noble progenitours, amonges divers other liberties and franchesez, have graunted to diverse dukes of the seid duchie, that they

1 Hen. VII. shal have returne of al manere of writtes, preceptes, and warantes of al thynges doone within our seid duchie, contrarie to the which, aswel sheriffs and othre officers of the seid countie have not spared to entre into our seid duchie, and make execucioun of such writtes, preceptes, and warrantes, not sendyng to our bailiffes and othre officers, in this behalf, of our seid duchie, to the great hurt and prejudice of us, our tenauntes, inhabitauntes, and reaume, or þe same, and contrarye to the seid use, custume, grauntes, and auctorite. We, considerynge the premisses, and willyng our seid tenaunts, inhabitauntes, and receauntes within our seid lordshipe and towne, as parcelle of our seid duchie, to enjoie the seid liberties, and be entreted accordyng to the same, straitly charge and command you and every of you, that ye, anoone uppon the sight therof, yf ye be required, aswel within franchises as without, make open proclamacioun, in merkettes and other places expedient, that noo man, of what estate, degree, or condicioun he be of, interupt, aske, grief, or trouble eny of our seid tenauntes, inhabitauntes, or receauntes within our seid lordshipe or towne, contrary to the seid use, custume, grauntes, and auctorite, and that neithre shriffe ne undershyriff, nor othre officer, come into our seid lordshipe and towne to execute any writte, warant, precept, or othre our commaundment, contrarye to the seid grauntes and auctorite, uppon payne that may falle therof; and if any persons attempt herafter to do contrarye to this our commaundment, ye duely certifie us or our councell of our seid duchie therof, from tyme to tyme; and that ye faile not herof, as ye wol eschew our great displeasour. Yeven, &c. L. W., &c. 1486.

Grant to Sir John Savage, senior, in consideration of his good and faithful services in the king's last victorious battle, of the office of keeper of the parks of Halton and Norwode, parcel of the duchy of Lancaster; to hold for the term of his life, with the accustomed wages and fees thereunto belonging. L. R. 25. 25 Feb.

1486. 28 Feb. Lease, for seven years, to John Dyson and Thomas Holand, of the mill of Barton, in co. Stafford, within the lordship of Tutbury, with all the soc and suit to the same pertaining, and 43 rods of demesne meadow, and les Walton Holmes, with the fishery of the water of Trent, and the fishery of the water of Lochemore, within the said duchy, rendering therefore annually for the mill, meadow, and pasture 8*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.*, and for les Walton Holmes 2*s.* The said John and Thomas are to keep the premises in repair at their own cost, the king finding large timber "pyles and ramelles," when necessary, for the repair, &c. of the mill aforesaid. 1 Hen. VII.

Writs of diem clausit extremum issued upon the deaths of the following persons, viz. :—

1485. 21 Sept. Of Robert Whitwode, who held of Richard III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, in the county of York.

22 Sept. Of Joan, late the wife of John Grevyle, knt., deceased, who held of the king in capite in the counties of Glouc., and the marches of Wales adjoining thereto; Warwick, Derby, Wilts., Bucks., Sussex, and Surrey; Worcester, and the marches of Wales adjoining thereto.

*22 Sept. Of Thomas Hampden, of Hampden, in the counties of Beds. and Bucks., Oxon., Essex.

24 Sept. Of Edmund Fisshe, in the city of York.

*25 Sept. Of Joan Barre, widow, in the counties of Glouc., and the marches of Wales thereto adjoining; Hereford, and the marches of Wales thereto adjoining.

*30 Sept. Of Thomas Wyndesore, esq., in the county of Midd.

4 Oct. Of Robert Hoton, in the county of Cumberland.

*9 Oct. Of Thomas Frowyk, knt., in the city of London, the counties of Midd., Suff., Berks.

*9 Oct. Of John Wykes, esq., in the county of Glouc.

*12 Oct. Of William Berkeley, knt., in the county of Glouc.

* The asterisk denotes that the Inquisition taken pursuant to the writ of "diem clausit extremum" is extant in the Public Record Office.

1 Hen. VII. Of William Benstede, esq., in the counties of Essex and Herts., Southampton and Wilts. 1485. *16 Oct.

Of Robert Broune, esq., in the counties of Oxon. and Berks. *17 Oct.

Of Nicholas Carewe, in the county of Berks. 17 Oct.

Of Nicholas Carewe, esq. (as well by reason of the death of the same Nicholas, as owing to the minority of Nicholas, his son and heir, whose lands, &c. came into the hands of Edw. IV., and are now in Hen. VII.'s hands), in the county of Surrey. 17 Oct.

Of Thomas Pygot, in the county of Cambridge. *18 Oct.

Of Thomas Bybbesworth, esq., in the counties of Essex and Herts. *18 Oct.

Of John Storke, in the counties of Somerset, Dorset, Southampton, Oxon. *18 Oct.

Of Thomas Pygot, in the county of Beds. 20 Oct.

Of William Leversegge, esq., in the counties of Gloucester, and the marches of Wales thereto adjoining, and Somerset. *22 Oct.

Of Ranulph Bothe, in the county of Kent. *23 Oct.

Of William Courtenay, knt., in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. 23 Oct.

Of Thomas Arundell, knt., in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. *23 Oct.

Of Walter Ralegh, esq., in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. 23 Oct.

Of William Waye, in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. 23 Oct.

Of George Traveris, in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. 23 Oct.

Of John Bondvyle, in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. 23 Oct.

Of John Walrond, in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. *23 Oct.

Of Thomas Darcy, esq., in the county of Essex. *23 Oct.

Of William Gate, esq., in the county of Essex. *23 Oct.

Of Thomas Dabrigcourt, in the county of Southampton and Berks. *25 Oct.

1485. Of John Bolour, the elder, esq., in the counties of 1 Hen. VII.
*28 Oct. Somerset, Dorset, and Southampton.

*28 Oct. Of John Bolour, the younger, in the county of Somerset.

30 Oct. Of Thomas Darcy, esq., in the county of Warwick.

2 Nov. † Of Ralph Penne, esq., in the counties of Herts. and Essex.

*2 Nov. Of John Neuburgh, in the counties of Somerset, and Dorset, and Wilts.

3 Nov. Of Thomas Pygote, in the county of Midd.

*3 Nov. Of Robert Rengeburne, esq., in the counties of Southampton and Wilts.

5 Nov. † Of John Pakenham, in the county of Southampton.

*6 Nov. Of William Benstede, esq., in the counties of Essex and Hertf., and Southampton and Wilts.

*6 Nov. Of Richard Charleton, knt., in the county of Cambridge.

*6 Nov. Of William Alyngton, esq., in the county of Cambridge.

6 Nov. Of William Berkeley, knt., in the county of Southampton.

*6 Nov. Of Edward Erneley, esq., in the county of Southampton.

*6 Nov. Of Edmund Pystor, gentleman, in the county of Southampton.

*6 Nov. Of John Stourton, knt., in the county of Southampton.

6 Nov. Of John Blounte, knt., in the county of Southampton.

7 Nov. Of Elizabeth Boteler, widow, in the county of Southampton.

*8 Nov. Of Thomas Arundell, knt., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset.

*8 Nov. Of William Barkeley, knt., in the county of Somerset.

8 Nov. Of Antony Kene, in the county of Somerset.

*8 Nov. Of Thomas Moore, esq., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset.

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1485.

1 Hen. VII. Of Walter Paunsfote, knt., in the county of Somerset. *8 Nov.

Of John Hugyn, esq., in the county of Somerset. 8 Nov.

Of John Stourton, knt., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset. *8 Nov.

Of John Cheverell, esq., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset. *8 Nov.

Of Thomas Martyn, esq., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset. *8 Nov.

Of Thomas Brampton, in the county of Norfolk. 9 Nov.

Of Richard Methwold, in the county of Norfolk. *9 Nov.

Of Peter Payne, in the county of Norfolk. 9 Nov.

Of Thomas Darsy, esq., in the county of Suffolk. 9 Nov.

Of Edward Dyneley, in the counties of Oxon., and Berks., and Glouc., and the marches of Wales thereto adjoining. 9 Nov.

Of John Pole, in the county of Wilts. 9 Nov.

Of Henry Halle, in the counties of Wilts. and Somerset. 10 Nov.

Of John Harrys, esq., in the county of Devon. *10 Nov.

Of William Strecchelegh, the younger, in the county of Devon. 10 Nov.

Of William Carswille, in the county of Devon. 10 Nov.

Of William Selman, in the county of Devon. 10 Nov.

Of William Barkeley, knt., in the county of Devon. 10 Nov.

Of Thomas Hutton, in the county of Cumberland. 10 Nov.

Of Roger Kemys, in the county of Glouc. *11 Nov.

Of William Alyngton, esq., in the counties of Essex and Herts. *12 Nov.

Of Margaret, late the wife of George Nevile, of Bergavenny, knt., in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. *12 Nov.

Of William Joyce, in the county of Suffolk. *12 Nov.

Of Thomas Bacon, in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. 12 Nov.

Of John Grey, in the county of Norfolk. 12 Nov.

Of John Iwardby, esq., in the counties of Linc. and Bucks. *13 Nov.

1485. Of John Stourton, knt., in the counties of Wilts., Glouc., 1 Hen. VII.
*14 Nov. and Devon.

14 Nov. Of William Barkeley, knt., in the counties of Wilts., Berks., and Dorset.

14 Nov. Of John Babyngton, esq., in the counties of Notts. and Derby.

15 Nov. Of John, late earl of Worcester (as well owing to the death of the same earl, as by reason of the minority of Edward, his son and heir, whose lands, &c. came into the hands of Edw. IV., and are now in Hen. VII.'s hands), in the counties of Cambridge and Suffolk.

*16 Nov. Of Thomas Hill, knt., in the counties of Cambridge, and Essex, and Herts.

*16 Nov. Of John Scotte, knt., in the counties of Kent, Essex, and Sussex.

16 Nov. Of John Grene, esq., in the counties of Essex, Herts., and Midd.

19 Nov. Of John Grene, esq., in the county of Kent.

*19 Nov. Of John Cooke, esq., in the counties of Essex and Herts.

19 Nov. Of Richard Rawson, in the counties of Essex and Herts.

19 Nov. Of John Honyngton, in the counties of Essex and Herts.

*19 Nov. Of John Norys, esq., in the county of Kent.

*19 Nov. Of John Griffyn, esq., in the counties of Northampton and Leicester.

20 Nov. Of Rys Griffith, esq., in the county of Lincoln.

*21 Nov. Of John Fraunces, esq., in the counties of Devon and Somerset.

22 Nov. Of Alice, late the wife of Rys Griffith, in the county of Lincoln.

*22 Nov. Of William Alyngton, esq., in the counties of Norfolk, and Suffolk, and Northampton.

*22 Nov. Of John Harlyng, in the counties of Essex and Herts.

*22 Nov. Of William Druell, in the counties of Essex and Herts.

1 Hen. VII. Of Humfrey Spyce, in the counties of Essex and Herts. 1485. *22 Nov.

Of Walter Devereux, of Ferrers, knt., in the county of Stafford. 22 Nov.

Of John Basset, knt., in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. *22 Nov.

Of John Twynyho, esq., in the counties of Glouc. and Oxon. *22 Nov.

† Of Margaret Pygot, widow, in the county of York. 24 Nov.

Of Humfrey, Lord Dacre and Gildeslond, in the counties of Westmoreland, Cumberland, and Lancaster. *24 Nov.

Of Thomas Straunge, esq., in the county of Bucks. *24 Nov.

Of Richard Seynt George, knt., in the county of Cambridge. *26 Nov.

Of Thomas Hampden, of Kymbell, in the county of Bucks. *27 Nov.

Of Henry Straunge, alias le Straunge, esq., in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. *27 Nov.

Of Richard Bagot, esq., in the county of Stafford. 27 Nov.

Of John Cawardyne, esq., in the county of Stafford. 27 Nov.

Of Thomas Cursoun, esq., in the county of Stafford. 27 Nov.

Of Anne, late the wife of Thomas Ormond, knt., in the counties of Devon, and Cornwall, and Glouc., and the marches of Wales thereto adjoining. *29 Nov.

Of Anne, late the wife of Thomas Ormond, knt., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset. *29 Nov.

Of John Blanerhasset, in the county of Cumberland. 30 Nov.

Of Thomas Wyndesore, esq., in the county of Berks. *30 Nov.

Of John Blount, knt., lord of Mountjoye, in the counties of Stafford, Derby, Leic., Notts., Sussex, Southampton, and Worc. *1 Dec.

Of John Hugford, esq., in the county of Warwick. *9 Dec.

Of Humfrey Bewefo, esq., in the county of Oxon. *10 Dec.

Of Joan, late the wife of Thomas Walwyn, in the county of Hereford, and the marches of Wales adjoining thereto. *12 Dec.

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1485. † Of William Weston, esq., in the counties of Surrey 1 Hen. VII.
*13 Dec. and Sussex.

13 Dec. Of John Wood, the younger, in the counties of Surrey and Sussex.

*13 Dec. Of John Suggewes, gentleman, in the county of Hereford, and the marches of Wales adjoining thereto.

13 Dec. Of Thomas Gower, knt., in the county of York.

*13 Dec. Of John Zouche, esq., in the counties of Lincoln, Beds., and Northampton.

*15 Dec. Of Thomas Cornwaleys, in the counties of Essex and Herts.

*15 Dec. Of Robert Mortymer, in the counties of Essex and Herts.

*15 Dec. Of Thomas Arundell, knt., in the county of Glouc.

*15 Dec. Of Walter Herne, in the county of Glouc.

*15 Dec. Of Geoffrey Seyntgermyne, in the county of Northampton.

*15 Dec. Of William Stok, knt., in the county of Northampton.

15 Dec. Of Thomas Harrodon, in the county of Northampton.

15 Dec. Of John Chesilden, in the county of Northampton.

15 Dec. Of William Harynton, knt., in the county of Northampton.

22 Dec. Of Walter Forde, in the county of Surrey.

27 Dec. Of John Barnard, esq., in the county of Northampton.

*29 Dec. Of Thomas Pygot, in the county of Cambridge.

29 Dec. Of Henry Pygot, in the county of Cambridge.

*30 Dec. Of Thomas Chaworth, esq., in the counties of Notts. and Derby, Lincoln and Leic.

1486.
*2 Jan. Of Henry Canell, in the county of Cornwall.

*8 Jan. Of William Benstede, esq., in the counties of Essex and Herts.

25 Jan. Of Augustin Stratton, clk., in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk.

26 Jan. Of William Sommaster, esq., in the county of Devon.

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† Return in the 2nd year.

1 Hen. VII. Of Walter Panesfote, knt., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset. Pat. p. 2. m. 15 d (11 d). 1486. 28 Jan.

Of Elizabeth Butteler, widow, in the counties of Southampton and Wilts. 30 Jan.

Of Thomas Chaworth, in the counties of Southampton and Wilts. 3 Feb.

Of Joan, late the wife of Martin Jacob, in the county of Somerset. *3 Feb.

Of John Moleyns, in the county of Somerset. 3 Feb.

Of William Newenham, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland. 3 Feb.

Of Alice Foweler, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland. 3 Feb.

Of Thomas Leukenore, knt., in the counties of Northampton and Rutland. 3 Feb.

Of John Barantyne, esq., in the counties of Oxon. and Berks. 4 Feb.

Of John Wapher, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland. 4 Feb.

Of Hugh Pagenham, esq., in the county of Sussex. 5 Feb.

Of Robert Skerne, esq., in the county of Surrey. 5 Feb.

Of Richard Boughton, esq., in the counties of Warwick, and Bucks., and Beds. *5 Feb.

Of Thomas Chaworth, esq., in the county of York. 5 Feb.

Of John Goylyn, who held in capite of Ric. III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, in the county of Oxford. *5 Feb.

Of Ismania, late the wife of Thomas Seymour, knt., in the county of Devon. 6 Feb.

Of Alice, late the wife of Thomas Foweler, esq., and formerly the wife of John Hulcote, esq., in the county of Bucks. 8 Feb.

Of William Palmer, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland. 8 Feb.

Of William Druell, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland. *8 Feb.

1486. 8 Feb. Of Richard Pykkard, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland. 1 Hen. VII.

10 Feb. Of John Buller, gentleman, in the county of Southampton.

10 Feb. Of Thomas Straunge, esq., in the county of Warwick.

12 Feb. Of Robert Lute, in the county of Midd.

12 Feb. Of John Sthephene, in the county of Kent.

*12 Feb. Of Robert Forster, in the county of Midd.

*12 Feb. Of Richard Barnet, esq., in the county of Midd.

12 Feb. Of George Darell, knt., in the county of York.

*12 Feb. † Of Thomas Lynde, esq., in the county of Oxford.

*12 Feb. Of John Hals, esq., in the county of Oxford.

*12 Feb. † Of Thomas Fermer, in the counties of Oxon. and Berks.

12 Feb. Of Thomas, son of John Chaworth, in the counties of Notts. and Derby.

13 Feb. Of Henry Sotelle, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland.

*18 Feb. Of Thomas Arundell, knt., in the county of Bucks.

*18 Feb. Of Thomas Wyndesore, esq., in the county of Bucks.

*18 Feb. Of John Noreys, esq., in the county of Bucks.

*18 Feb. Of Robert Broune, esq., in the county of Bucks.

18 Feb. Of John Barantyne, esq., in the counties of Southampton and Wilts.

20 Feb. Of Margery Stanley, widow, in the county of Cornwall.

*20 Feb. Of Robert Rangeborne, in the county of Dorset.

23 Feb. Of Thomas Fitzherry, esq., in the county of Hereford, and the marches thereto adjoining. Pat. p. 4. m. 10 d (15d).

2 March. Of John Twynyho, esq., in the counties of Glouc. and Oxon.

2 March. Of Robert Frosden, stacioner, in the county of Midd.

2 March. Of Robert Warner, in the county of Midd.

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1 Hen. VII. Of John Skelton, esq., who held of Ric. III., late, in deed and not of right, king of England, in the counties of Cumberland and Westmoreland. 1486. 2 March.

Of John Blanerhasset, in the county of Westmoreland. 2 March.

Of John Rogers, in the counties of Southampton and Wilts., Berks. and Dorset. *9 March.

Of Marmaduke de la Ryvere, esq., in the county of York. 14 March.

Of John Wryttell, esq., in the counties of Kent, Essex, Surrey, and the city of London. *15 March.

Of John Pyllond, in the county of Devon. *18 March.

Of Thomas Lynde, esq., in the counties of Beds. and Bucks. *12 April.

Of Henry Ferrers, clk., in the county of Glouc., and marches of Wales thereto adjoining. *16 April.

Of Thomas Lymmeryk, esq., in the county of Glouc., and marches of Wales thereto adjoining. 20 April.

Of Thomas Wyndesore, esq., in the counties of Surrey and Sussex. *20 April.

† Of Thomas Arundell, knt., in the county of Wilts. *28 April.

† Of Thomas Arundell, knt., in the counties of Somerset and Dorset. *30 April.

Of John Fraunceys, esq., in the county of Somerset. Pat. p. 4. m. 21 d (4 d). *30 April.

Of Thomas Heynes, in the county of Wilts. 1 May.

Of John Borton, in the county of Wilts. 1 May.

Of Emmota Ogan, widow, in the county of Wilts. 1 May.

Of Constance Cressy, in the county of Hertford. 2 May.

Of Richard Hackeluyt, gentleman, in the county of Glouc., and the marches of Wales thereto adjoining. 6 May.

Of Joan, late the wife of Richard Fenys, of Dacre, knt., widow, in the county of Sussex. 7 May.

Of John Veer, esq., in the counties of Devon and Cornwall. 8 May.

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† Return in 2nd year.

1486.
*3 June. Of John Whytyngham, esq., in the county of Bucks. 1 Hen. VII.
*3 June. Of Richard Baldewyn, in the county of Bucks.
*3 June. Of Thomas Fayrewell, in the county of Bucks.
4 June. Of Margaret Harowedon, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland.
*12 June. Of John Shirley, esq., in the counties of Derby and Leic.
*13 June. Of John Slawghter, gentleman, in the county of Glouc.
*14 June. Of Brian Stapleton, late of Carleton, co. York, knt., in the counties of York, Leic., Notts., Westmoreland, and the city of York.
*14 June. Of John Stourton, late of Stourton, knt., in the county of Essex.
*14 June. Of William Curson, in the county of Norfolk.
*20 June. Of John Shirley, esq., in the counties of Notts., Warwick, and Suff.
20 June. Of Thomas Staunton, esq., in the counties of Notts and Leic.
*21 June. Of Edward Servyngton, esq., in the counties of Southampton and Wilts., Somerset and Dorset.
*26 June. Of Nicholas Seyntlo, knt., in the counties of Somerset and Devon.
*28 June. Of Thomas Yonge, gent., in the county of Berks.
*28 June. Of Margery, late the wife of Edmund Hungerford, knt., in the county of Oxford.
*29 June. Of Thomas Gawyn, esq., in the counties of Southampton and Wilts.
4 July. Of John Bretyn, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland.
4 July. Of Henry Ranncrofte, in the counties of Northampton and Rutland.
*10 July. Of Thomas Hill, knt., in the county of Hunts.
*17 July. Of Robert Mortymer, in the counties of Essex and Herts. Pat. p. 4. m. 11 d (14 d).
*26 July. Of Ralph Bulmere, knt., in the counties of York and Linc.

1 Hen. VII. Of John Shirley, in the counties of Notts. and Derby. 1486.
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In addition to the above there were Inquisitions post mortem upon the deaths of the following persons, viz. :—

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Of Ralph Briston, in the county of Norfolk.

Of Thomas Bitton, in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk.

Of John Barnard, in the county of Northampton.

Of John Coke, in the county of Essex.

Of John Derherst, in the county of Gloucester.

Of Thomas Darcy, in the county of Essex.

Of Richard Forster, in the county of Gloucester.

Of John Grene, in the county of Middlesex.

Of Robert Kynnesman, in the county of Northampton.

Of John Blount, lord of Mountjoye, in the counties of Leicester and Worcester.

Of Antony, late Earl Ryvers, in the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, Hertford, and Cambridge.

Of William Suthayke, in the county of Cumberland.

Of Thomas Straunge, in the county of Warwick.

Of Edward, Lord Tybetot, son and heir of John, late earl of Worcester, in the county of Suffolk.

Of John Umbwell, of Umbwell, esq., in the county of York.

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